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Mysore Residency.

Pros. Serial Nos. 1-57

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Subject.

Transfer to Madras of prisoners sentenced in the Cantt Stn to more than one year, prisoners sentenced to transportation Court Martial Prisoners. Question of constructing a District Jail for the Station.

Previous References.

Later References.

125/22, 36,36A/18, 109/21, 384/07, 304/1910

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S. 97. (Blue.)

M.G.P.C.—F.D.—795DF—8&P—(J-15/6)—14-3-38—500/-.

From Govt of Madras No 659 d. 11 Mch

Regarding the transfer to the Jails in the Madras Presidency of Native Soldiers sentenced to imprisonment by Courts Martial in Bangalore.

Recd by me on 16th instant.
Subd under Monday rule.
HH
23.3.85

Subd under monday rule HH 30/3/85

Mell
3073 Gen.

Submitted under the Monday rule
HH 13/4/85

Subd under the Monday rule
HH 20/4/85

Note

× Slip A

In their letter × No 913 J
dated 12th March 1884, the
Government of India, Foreign
Department, remarked
that the existing system
of confining the prisoners

sentenced by the Courts of the C & M Station in the Bangalore Central Jail was open to objection, and therefore a portion of the District Jail Class may be constructed in the C & M Station for the reception of persons sentenced to 12 months and under and for prisoners under trial. Persons sentenced to longer terms than one year were ordered to be transferred to the Jails of the Madras Presidency. After some correspondence with the Madras Government the prisoners sentenced by the Courts of the C & M Station to imprisonment for more than one year were transferred)

from the Bangalore Central Jail to Jails in the Madras Presidency.

2. During the course of the correspondence, the Officer Commanding Bangalore Division was asked, in this Office letter No. 1453/759 dated 15th October 1884, whether persons sentenced to imprisonment by Courts Martial should continue to be sent to the Bangalore Central Jail or should be sent to Jails in the Madras Presidency, until the construction of a separate Jail for the C & M Station.

In reply the General Commanding Bangalore Division ⊗ stated that H. E. the Commander in Chief was of opinion

* Slip B

⊗ No. 278/A dt. 15th Nov 1884 (Slip C)

that Court Martial prisoners who were now undergoing imprisonment in the Central Jail, Bangalore, should be transferred ~~to the~~ to Jails in the Madras Presidency and that the Madras Government had been addressed in regard to their removal.

3. The reference made to the Madras Government resulted in* that Government, Judicial Department, requesting the Military Dept. to order, under the 153rd Indian Articles of War (Act V of 1869), the transfer of the prisoners in question to Jails in ~~this~~ the Madras Presidency, one half being sent to Vellore and the other half to Salem.

* Madras Govt Order No. 204 d. 26th January 1885 (Sep D).

The Military Department appears to have requested H.E. the Commander in Chief to order the transfer of the prisoners, but the Com^r in Chief replied that as the men were confined in a jail which was not subject to Military Control, and as they had been struck off the strength of the Army, he was not empowered under the 152^d Indian Articles of War to pass orders for the removal of the prisoners.

The Madras Government, ~~have now~~ Judl Dept, now request that, under the above circumstances the Government of India may be moved to cancel

the transfer of the prisoners, should any legal disability prevent the President doing so himself.

4. The number of prisoners sentenced by Courts Martial and confined in the Bangalore Central Jail, regarding whose transfer the present question has arisen is 8 (vide page 3 of the printed Pro: of the Madras Govt enclosed in the letter now under disposal). But the terms of imprisonment of 7 of these men have now Expired, and only one man (No: 5 on the list) named Shaikh Hussain alias Shaikh Hussain is still undergoing imprisonment in the Bangalore Central Jail, and his term expires on the 23rd August 85. It is regarding him alone that the present

x Slip D.

question has to be considered

5. Article 152 of the Indian Articles of War (Act V of 1869) provides that the Commander-in-Chief of a Presidency may direct that any person under his command sentenced under the Articles to imprisonment, shall be confined in any Jail situate within the local limits of such command or may order his removal from any place of confinement under Military control to any other such place of Jail situate within such local limits. In the present case, as the prisoners were confined in the Bangalore Central Jail which is not situated within the local limits of the Comr in Chief's Command, H.E. the Comr in Chief rightly stated that he had no authority under Article 152 to order the removal of the prisoners from the Central Jail.

6. Article 153 provides that when any person subject to the Articles is confined in any Jail not subject to military control, under a sentence of imprisonment, whether passed by a Court-Martial or by a Court of Criminal Justice, the Govt of India, or the Local Government of the Presidency or place wherein such person is confined, may order his transfer to Military custody, or may order his removal from one to any other such place of confinement within the territories of such Govt:.

As the Bangalore Central Jail is not situated within the local jurisdiction of the Resident, it follows that, under the Article above referred to, the Resident has not the power to transfer the prisoner

and the Jails in the Madras Presidency are not so situated,

in question ~~##~~ from the Bangalore Central Jail to a Jail in the Madras Presidency, the general ~~sanction~~ order of the Government of India ~~to~~ conveyed in Foreign Dept Letter No. 913 I. dated 12th March 1884, to the effect that the system of keeping the C & R Madras prisoners in the Mysore Govt Jail should be terminated as soon as possible and that all prisoners sentenced to more than six year should be transferred to Jails in the Madras Presidency, * on a former occasion was considered sufficient authority to enable the Resident to transfer prisoners sentenced by the C & R Courts ~~to~~ to Jails in the Madras Presidency But that letter authorized the transfer only of persons

* Please see Slip E.
Letter No. 3441 dated 8th Augt 1884 from the Inspection Genl of Jails, Madras.
Letter No. 1112/583 d. 20th Augt 1884 to Inspr Genl of Jails Madras.
Slip F

sentenced to imprisonment for more than one year, whereas the prisoner whose transfer is now sought has been sentenced to only one years imprisonment. It is not perhaps worth while applying for the special sanction of the Govt: of India to the transfer of this prisoner to a Madras Jail, seeing that three-fourths of his term of imprisonment has expired and that he has only 3 months more to serve. Under these circumstances, the Madras Govt may, it is submitted, be informed that the Resident feels unable to order the transfer of the prisoner under the terms of Article 153 of the Indian

Articles of War, and that as the prisoner has nearly completed his term of imprisonment it is not perhaps necessary to apply for the special sanction of the Govt of India, and that the prisoner may be left to complete his sentence in the Bangalore Central Jail if the Madras Govt have no objection.

HC
13/5/85

Letter No. 1205 dated 11th Novr/84
from the Adjutant General
to the Secretary to the Madras
Govt. Military Depte
(Skp D)

7. It will be seen from the first letter quoted in the enclosure to the letter now under reply that the H.E. the Commander in Chief has directed that Native Soldiers who may hereafter be sentenced to imprisonment by Courts Martial at Bangalore should be sent to Jails in the Madras Presidency.

* Letter says "imprisonment with Land labour", but presumably they mean to include persons sentenced to simple imprisonment as well. Ames.

No more Court-Martial prisoners will therefore be sent to the Bangalore Central Jail. KLK 13.5.85

Yes. The difficulty will not arise in future.

As regards the present case, as I understand the facts, the man now in the Mysore Jail has been struck off the strength of the Army (see Madras letter under reply) and the Articles of War no longer apply to him. He may therefore be treated exactly like any other Convict. As he has not been sentenced to more than 12 months imp^t, he can work out his time in the Mysore Jail, and we may address the Madras Govt accordingly.

Please draft early for Resd's approval. RMS 14/5

Draft subm^d 16/5/85 KL.

Resident. Draft submitted for approval. I think it is right. RMS 16/5 WM 16/5.

RESIDENT'S OFFICE.

Office Note.

FILE No. 353 of 1885.

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In answer to an enquiry made in Pl. N. 47, the Inspector General of Jails, Madras, who informed in Pl. N. 48, that the transfer of the Shahin prisoners to the jails in the Madras Presidency has been sanctioned under the authority of para 5 of Govt. India, Foreign Dept. letter N. 913 J. of 12th March 1884.

S. 49

2. In letter N. 3966 of 7 September 1892 the Inspector General of Jails states that no copy of the Foreign Department's letter referred to is on record in his office. He presumes that the transfer was sanctioned by the Govt of India under Sec. 32 of Act IX of 1871. There is no reason why such a presumption should be made in this case, as Sec. 32 refers to the transfer of any prisoners from one jail to another in British India, and as the Govt of India were fully aware that the Bangalore Central Jail belonged to the Native State of Mysore & was situate outside British jurisdiction (vide para 2 of 10

In the circumstances presumption that the sanction of the Govt of India was given under Sec: 32 of Act V of 1871, the Inspector General observes that in every case of transfer a separate order should be issued by the Govt of India. Being however, given to understand by this office letter No. 2898/389.5 of the 2nd September 1892 that Act V of 1871 does not apply to the Bangalore Central Jail as it is not in British India, Mr. Carden observes that any order under Sec: 32 could only take effect from same place in British India to which the prisoners from the Bangalore Jail must first be removed. How this is to be effected, the Inspector General does not say. There appears to be no notification under Act XXI of 1879 which removes this difficulty.

S. N. 115 File 389/85

4 The legality of the existing arrangements for the transfer of Sentenced prisoners from the jails in the Madras Presidency was once before referred by the Inspector General of Jails, but it was stated in reply that Foreign Dept letter of 12th March 1884 was sufficient sanction, & this view was accepted. Please see pl. Nos 9, 20 & 22 of this file.

5 In his last para, Mr. Carden states that as there seems some risk of the custody of Bangalore prisoners who are transferred to Madras jails under pres arrangements proving to be illegal, the question may be further considered or referred for the orders of the Govt. of India

6 There appears to be no necessity for acting up to Mr. Carden's suggestio If approved, a copy of the foreign depa letter of 12th March 1884 may be sent t the Inspector General of Jails, Madra & his attention drawn to the correspon ending with Mr. H. R. Grimes' letter No. 3692 of 25th Augt 1884. If he has stil doubts as to the legality of the present arrangements under which transfer of the Bangalore prisoners to Madras jails is effected, he may be told t refer the matter to the Govt. of Madra with whose knowledge & consent these arrangements were made.

Submitted for favour of orders.

A.S.
11.9.92

Draft sub. for approval.

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7. Letter to the Inspector General of Jails, Madras, issued No. 3060 - 353. ss of 15th September 1892. Sl. No.

8. As suggested in Sl. No. 50, the Inspector General of Jails has moved the Govt. of Madras in the matter of the transfer of Lb Station prisoners from the Bangalore Central Jail to the jails in Madras Presidency; & the Madras Govt. have stated in their order No. 1997 of Sl. No. 51-A.
22nd October 1892 that the Govt. of India will be addressed on the subject.

9. Please see para 12 & 13 of the Inspector General's letter in pages 5 & 6 of Sl. No. 51-A. No district jail has been built in the Lb Station - this question engaged a great deal of attention but in December 1885 it was allowed to lie in abeyance pending the appointment of one advising Engineer to & Lb Station which appointment was ever made. Mr. Lawder has also served in ~~Mysore~~ considering the Lb Station of Bangalore like a part of British India. File 301/85.

This district is foreign territory belonging to Mysore but has been assigned to the British Govt for administration. It has never been recognized as part of British India

There seems no necessity to write
10 address the Govt of India, who are fully aware of the circumstances & until a reference has been received from them the Govt in Station. In the meanwhile Mr Cuddon's misapprehension may, if approved, be pointed out to the Govt of Madras who may perhaps send an explanatory letter to the Govt of India.

Submitted for favour of orders.

H.

12-11-92

11 Send D.S. here to Madras. Same time should write London about Send

Telegram issued - see N. 52.

file 353/85

AR.

Has anything further been heard in the file below? I suppose prisoners continue the Cent. Madras in their J.-G. of Jails refuse to accept them?

16/10

2. Nothing further has been heard in this case. Our prisoners are still being kept in Cent. Jails in the Madras Presid. but nothing has been said yet about it.

A/18/10/93 P.T.O.

16. The bill referred to by the Resident is for amending the Prisons Act. Please see Sl. No. 1/A of Comp. Office file 47/93.

17. The transfer of prisoners from one jail to another is not treated in this Act. It is provided for in Act V of 1871 — the Prisoners' Act, but makes no reference to the transfer of prisoners from a ~~State~~ jail in a native state to a jail in British India.

Draft to the Govt. of Madras is submitted for approval.

HL 30-10-93

18. Resident.

§ 54. A. (9) would let even prisoners transferred from native territory

Mr. C. 31.10.

Letter No 3738/353.85 dy 3.11.93 issued to the Madras Govt. S. N. 53.

HL 3/11/93

Resident's Office.

K. W.

~~Proceedings:-~~

File No. 353 of 1885.

OFFICE NOTE

Proceedings of the Madras Govt: No. 17. Jud: Dy. 5th January 1886, Communicating the Sanction of the Govt: of India, for the maintenance clothing & Carriage of Military and Civil prisoners sentenced by Court in the Civil and Military Station, and transferred to Gaols in the Madras Presidency being adjusted in the books of the Accountant General, Madras, to the Credit of Provincial Funds through the Land Revenue Head.

Submitted for Resident's perusal with the reference referred to, namely Serial No. 38. No action appears to be necessary.

Resident
9.10.86.
10-2-86

A. C. 3 Feby 86

Seen 11.2.86

Rec'd 15.2.86. A.C.

Peb 16

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D.54-A

18 With letter R. No. 1211 of the 13th Nov. 1873 the Chief Secretary to the Govt of Madras forwards a copy for reply received by the Madras Govt from the Govt of India to a reference made in regard to the legality of the transfer of the Coromandel prisoners the Madras jails from the Central jail in Bangalore.

19 The Govt of India do not think that there is any doubt as to the legality of the present practice which they say may be continued. We were of the same opinion. Vide ll. Nos 48 & 50 of this file.

20 The case is closed, and no further action seems necessary.

H.J.
20-11-73

J.L.

21 In a d.o. letter dated the 26th June 1885, D. 55
the Inspector General of Jails, Madras,
enquired whether there would be any
prospect of a suggestion for the
application of the Bangalore Jail to
Madras being approved by the Resident
in Mr. Cobb answered this d.o stating that
the Bangalore Jail belonged to the Mysore
State & that the Durbar would resent
any idea of Madras interference.

22 In reply, Mr. Caisen in his d.o.
of 5th July 1885 (D. N. 56) refers to this
office letter N. 803-414 of the 7th July 1884 D. N. 16
in para 6 which Mr. Lyall expressed
his concurrence with the suggestion
that the Inspector General of Jails, Madras
should also be Inspector General for
the Bangalore Jail. The jail referred to
is not the present State Central Jail, but the
one then proposed to be built for the
exclusive use of the Mysore
as a District Jail in which prisoners
sentenced to less than one year's imprisonment
may be

were to have been received. This jail has not been built pending the appointment now existing by the L[ord] & N[ew] Statutes which appointment was never made. Had this jail been constructed & the L[ord] & N[ew] Statutes prisoners sent thither instead of to the Surrey jail at Wandsworth, that jail would have been brought under the supervision of the Inspector General of Jails, Madras.

Write last para of this letter on file 301/85

23 Mr Cadell does not want a reply, but yet it may perhaps be better to explain to him that the "Wandsworth jail" referred to in Major Wyllie's letter of 7th July 1884 alluded to a district jail then intended to be started in the L[ord] & N[ew] Statutes but that as no such jail has been established & the Surrey jail is continued to be utilized for L[ord] & N[ew] Statutes prisoners under sentences of less than one year with the permission

of the Timbra

submitted proofs.

AS.
18-7-95

24- Please see Serials 55 & 56- The preceding para is correct & may be acted on- For correspondence about the proposed fair - see File 301 of 1885.

KDE
21-7.

Resident Tuke

LBW
23/7 KDE 23-7

Mrgt d.o. submitted proof approval.

AL
24-7-95

Issue:
KDE
24-7.

№ 19.

Bangalore, 20th August 188[illegible]

From

The Registrar of the
Chief Court of Mysore.

To.

The Assistant to the
Resident of Mysore

Sir,

I am directed by the Inspector General of Prisons to forward, for the orders of the Resident, the accompanying copy of a letter № 463 dated the 15th Instant, from the Superintendent of the Central Jail, enquiring whether Convicts, sentenced to Transportation by the Sessions Court in the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, are to be deported to the Andamans or, as is the case with persons sentenced to transportation for life by the Sessions Courts in Mysore, to be permanently imprisoned in the Central Jail, Bangalore.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

S. Hanumayya
Registrar

R.L.

No. 463.

Central Jail

Superintendent's Office,

Bangalore, 15th August 1883.

From

The Superintendent,
Central Jail.

To

The Chief Judge
of Mysore.

Sir,

In reference to the resolution of the Mysore Government no longer to deport to the Andamans Convicts sentenced to Transportation, I have the honor to request to be informed whether this will also affect such Convicts who may be sentenced by the Courts of the Civil and Military Cantonment.

The question occurs particularly in reference to a Convict named Marian, lately sentenced to transportation for life by the Judge of the Sessions Court, Civil and

and Military Station of Bangalore, and × in case No. 7 of 1883
now in the Central Jail.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) J. Henderson,
Superintendent.

"Copy

S. Ramayya Iyer
Registrar

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RESIDENT IN

From. The Magistrate
Chingleput District.

To. The Assistant to the
President of Madras

Dated 20th
Despd 21st August 1803.
Encl 1.

No 19.

Forwards for the orders of
President the accompanying copy
of a letter No 463 of 15th Instant from
Capt Supdt Central Jail enquiring
whether convicts sentenced to
transportation by the Sessions Courts
in the Civil & Military Stations, Bangalore
are to be deported by the Madras ships

The President directs that
in the first instance the
Surgeon be requested to
submit bills for the keep
of prisoners from the
C & M Stations in their Central Jail
that they be asked whether
they have any objection to
such bills convicts from
the C & M Stations in the Central
Jail, as they do their own.
If Surgeon agrees, the
Govt of India may then
be informed of the course
pursued & asked to approve
thereof. How 8/9

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1883.

From

The Assistant to the Resident
in Mysore.

To

The Durban

Dated 11. September 1883
Despatched 12.
Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 1309
No. 271

Sir

I have the honor by desire of the Officiating Resident to request that the Durbar will be kind enough to furnish this Office with a statement of the expenses incurred since the execution, on account of Prisoners confined in the Central Jail under sentences passed by the Courts of the C. & M. Stations

2 I can further
state whether the
Deputy Sheriff has any
objection to Prisoners
continued to Trial
Instructions to be
kept permanently
enforced on the
Central Jail.

Yours &
Chief Clerk

1883

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17 NOV 33
RESIDENT, MYSORE

From The Assistant to the Resident in Mysore.

To The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore

Dated 16th November 1883

Despatched

Received 17th

Enclosures No.

General No. 4388

No. 2057

With reference to this office No. 1309 of the 11th ult. I have the honor to furnish herewith information regarding the expenses incurred on account of prisoners confined in the Central Jail under sentence passed by the Courts of the Civil Station of Bangalore.

The Darbar make no allowance in the way pointed out in para 2 of this office letter No. 1309 of 12th Sept: 83. But the Supdt of the Jail considers it would be better to send life Prisoners to Andamans

Submitted

Bangalore
Civil Station

Superintendent Jail

I have the honor to be Sir Your most obedient servant

Assistant to the Resident in Mysore

Bangalore
Civil Station
16th November 1883

Superintendent Jail

I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to furnish me with a statement showing the amount of the charge in our account with them for the surplus prisoners of the Civil Station now in their hands, and that in future no prisoners be suggested by the Superintendent Jail to adjust the account with the Darbar annually. Also that Prisoners agree to the Superintendent Jail's convicts shall be sent to the Andamans.

24/11/83

Drafted
Clk 24/11/83

Office of the Dewan of Mysore

No 4388
205

Camp Mysore 16th November 1883

3/or

From.

The Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore

To,
The Assistant to the
Resident in Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to your No 1309/271 of the 11th September last calling for a statement of Expenses incurred on account of prisoners Confined in the Central Jail under Sentence passed by the Courts of the Civil & Military Station of Bangalore, I have the honor to forward Copy of a letter No 645 of the 23rd Ultimo with its Enclosures from the

the Superintendent, Central Jail,
Bangalore, giving the required information

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant.

R Vijayasimha Rao
Secretary.

No 645

3/6

Superintendents' Office
Bangalore Central Jail
Dated 23d October /83.

From

The Superintendant
Central Jail
Bangalore

To

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore.

Sir,

In reply to your Docket no. 3544/236. dated 26th Ultimo, I have the honor to forward a Statement of the Cost of the Convicted Prisoners confined in the Central Jail under Sentences passed by the Courts of the Civil and Military Station Bangalore*, and of Convicted and Under-trial prisoners of that Station, confined in the District Lock-upt, from the date of the Renditions to the 30th September 1883.

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* amounting to Rs 6828-3-1

† Rs 1962-6-1

2. The Statements have been very carefully made out from the Jail Registers, and the Cost has been Calculated upon the average Cost of a prisoner in each place for each year, as shewn in the Annual Report of the Central Jail under the head Expenditure and Income, page 24.

which

which appears to me to be the proper way.

3. Only those prisoners whose Sentences have been completed should been included; and I think it would be advisable and more convenient hereafter to make out this Statement annually at the close of Each-Year

4. In reference to 2d para of the letter I am of opinion that, though Convicts Sentenced to Transportation for life by the Courts of the Civil and Military Station might remain here, it would be better they should be sent to the penal Settlement at the Andamans.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obedient Servant.

Signed/ J. Henderson.

Superintendent

Central Jail

Bangalore

Bangalore Central Jail

Statement Shewing the Number and Cost of Prisoners of the Civil and Military Station admitted and released from the Date of Rendition to 30th September 1883.

Court	No. of Prisoners	Period remained in Jail	Annual rate average per prisoner	Amount of Cost	Total Remarks.
				Rs a P	Rs a P
2nd Magistrates' Court, Civil and Military Station Bangalore	2	For 6 days each	18 Rs	2 9 "	
	1	" 8 days		1 11 4	
	10	" 10 Do Each		21 5 8	
	25	" 15 Do Do		80 1 3	
	4	" 20 Do Do		17 1 8	
	4	" 25 Do Do		21 6 "	
	17	" 1 month Do		110 8 "	
	1	" 1 Do and 13 days		9 4 5	
	6	" 2 Do Each		78 " "	
	1	" 2 Do and 3 days		13 10 3	
	1	" 2 Do and 20 days		17 4 4	
	20	" 3 Do Each		390 " "	
	1	" 3 Do and 20 days		23 12 5	
	1	" 4 Do		26 " "	
	27	" 6 Do Each		1053 " "	
	1	" 8 Do		52 " "	
	1	" 8 Do and 16 days		55 6 8	
	2	" 9 Do Each		117 " "	
	2	" 10 Do Each		130 " "	
	19	" 1 year Each		1482 " "	
	1	" 1 year and 6 months		117 " "	
	8	" 2 Do Each		1248	
	155	Total			5067 1 "
Bangalore Magistrates' Court	4	For 1 day Each	7 8 Rs	" 13 8	
	2	" 2 Do Do		" 13 8	
	13	" 3 Do Do		8 5 3	
	4	" 5 Do Do		4 4 4	
		Carried over		14 4 11	5067 1 "

		Brought Forward		14 4 11 5067 1 "
District Magistrate's Court Civil and Sessions Station Bangalore	10	For 7 days Each		14 16 2
	9	" 8 Do Do		15 6 "
	1	" 11 Do		2 5 7 "
	7	" 15 Do Each		22 6 9
	10	" 1 Month Do		65 " "
	2	" 1 Month & 12 days Each		182 "
	1	" 2 Months		13 " "
	24	" 3 Do Each		468 " "
	1	" 3 Do & 7 days Each		20 15 11
	9	" 6 Months Each		351 " "
	1	" 9 Months		58 8 "
	3	" 1 Year Each		234 " "
	1	" 1 Do & 3 Months		97 8 "
	102	Total		13958 4
Sessions Court Do	1	For 22 days		4 11 3
	1	" 2 Months & 8 days		14 11 4
	1	" 6 Do		39 " "
	2	" 1 Year Each		156 " "
	1	" 1 Do & 6 Months		117 " "
	6	Total		331 6 7
		Total Cost of all the Courts		6729 15 11
Under-trial Prisoners	34	For 171 days		Rs 34 3 2 34 3 2
		Grand Total		6823 1

Central jail
Superintendent's Office
Bangalore 23d October 1883

(Signed) J. Henderson
Superintendent
Central Jail
Bangalore

Bangalore District Lock-up

Statement shewing the number and cost of Prisoners of the Civil and Military Station admitted and released from the date of Rendition to 30th September 1883

Court	No. of Prisoners	Period remained in jail	annual average cost per prisoner	Amount of Cost	Total	Remarks
				Rs a p	Rs a p	
Sentenced by the Police Court of the Civil and Military Station.		Convicted				
	1	For 1 day		" 6 3		
	2	" 2 do		1 9 "		
	16	" 3 do		18 12 "		
	1	" 4 do		1 9 "		
	10	" 7 do	Rs	27 5 6		
	18	" 8 do	14 2	56 4 "		
	3	" 10 do		11 11 6		
	17	" 15 do		95 10 "		
	12	" 1 Month Each		140 10 "		
	1	" 1 Month 14 days		13 4 6		
	81	Total			367 1 9	
Sentenced by the Police Court of the Civil and Military Station.	8	For 1 day Each		3 2 "		
	3	" 2 do do		2 5 6		
	2	" 3 do		2 5 6		
	2	" 4 do		3 2 "		
	1	" 5 do		1 15 3		
	5	" 6 do		11 11 6		
	5	" 7 do	Rs	13 10 9		
	4	" 8 do	2	12 8 "		
	37	" 10 do	14	144 8 6		
	2	" 12 do		9 6 "		
		Carried over		204 11 "	367 1 9	

Guard Room Constables & Mounted Police

	Brought Forward		204 11 4 3671 9
19	For 15 days each	Rs 142	106 14 4
3	" 20 do.		23 7 4
41	" 1 month each		480 7 6
1	" 1 month 15 days		179 3
133	Total		833 4 9

Sessions Court & Military Station Bungalow

Under trial prisoners

1	For 1 day	Rs 142	6 3 6 3

District Magistrate of the Civil and Military Station having a Lock-up.

12	For 1 day each	Rs 142	4 11 4
12	" 2 do		9 6 4
3	" 3 do		3 8 3
1	" 4 do		1 9 4
5	" 5 do		3 8 3
2	" 8 do		6 4 4
9	" 9 do		31 10 3
1	" 12 do		4 11 4
3	" 14 do		16 6 6
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Grand Total — 1962 1

Bangalore Central Jail
Superintendent's office
23d October 1883

(Signed) J. Henderson
Superintendent

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R Kyrgander
Secretary.

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Office of the Dewan of Mysore
Bangalore 27 November 1883

No. 4575-218

From

The Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore,

To

The Assistant to the
Resident in Mysore,

Sir,

In continuation of this Office No. 4388/205 dated 16th November 1883, I have the honor by direction of the Dewan to forward herewith Copy of letter No 705 dated 17th November 1883 from the Superintendent Central Jail, Bangalore, giving cover to another Statement of the cost of Military Prisoners confined in the Central Jail under sentences passed by Courts Martial in the Civil, and Military Station Bangalore from the date of rendition to the 30th September 1883.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant

Under Secretary

No 705

From

The Superintendent Central Jail, Bangalore

To

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore

Dated 17th November 1883

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No 645 dated 23d Ultimo, I have the honor to forward herewith another Statement of the cost of Military Prisoners confined in the Central Jail under sentences passed by the Courts Martial in the Civil and Military Station Bangalore, from the date of Rendition to the 30th September 1883.

I have &c

(Sd) J. Henderson

Superintendent

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Recommended

Under Secretary

Statement shewing the cost of Military Prisoners confined in the Central Jail under sentences passed by the Courts Martial of the Civil and Military Station Bangalore from the date of Rendition to 30th September 188

General No.	Register No.	Name of Prisoners	Period of Sentence Y	M	D	Cost at an average amount of 78 Rs per annum Rs	A	P	Total Rs	A	P	Remarks.
1	5250	Venkatsamy	"	4	"	26	"	"				4th Regt Mil. St. D.
2	5400	Narcesoo	"	3	3	20	2	3				2d Lds Y Mil.
3	5437	Akber Beg	"	3	"	19	8	"				15th Regt Mil. St. D.
4	5476	Pachappa	"	6	"	39	"	"				2d Lds Y Mil.
5	5490	Sheriffoodeen	"	4	"	26	"	"				1st Regt Lt Cavalry
6	5629	Shaik Madar	"	11	"	71	8	"				4th Regt Mil. St. D.
7	5652	Ebraham Khan	1	"	"	78	"	"				15th — Do —
8	5659	Mugafer Hussain	1	"	"	78	"	"				2d G. S. Y Mil.
9	5681	Yelloomale	"	4	"	26	"	"				4th Regt Mil. St. D.
10	5704	Veerasamy	1	"	"	78	"	"				15th — Do —
11	5705	Ismail Khan	1	"	"	78	"	"				— Do — Do —
12	5706	Shaik Abdul Kader	1	"	"	78	"	"				4th — Do —
13	5711	Abdul Rhyman	1	"	"	78	"	"				4th — Do —
14	5712	Mahomed Sause	1	"	"	78	"	"				4th — Do —
15	5720	Moorisamy	"	4	"	26	"	"				4th — Do —
16	5721	Lutchmiah	"	4	"	26	"	"				4th — Do —
17	5728	Alwar	"	6	"	39	"	"				2d G. S. Y Mil.
18	5828	Mahomed Boorahan	"	4	"	26	"	"				4th Regt Mil. St. D.
19	5882	Poonapan	"	4	"	26	"	"				2d G. S. Y Mil.
20	6011	Khristrajee Rao	"	"	22	4	11	3				1st Regt Lt Cavalry
21	6012	Syed Ally	"	3	1	19	11	5				— Do —
		Total Rupees							941	8	11	

15/7 J. Henderson
Supdt Central Jail

"Copy"

T. Seeeeramacharlu
Under Secretary

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RESIDENT IN MYSORE

From The Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore

To

Dated 27th November 1883

Despatched

Received 28th "

Enclosures No.

General No. 1455

No. 18

In Continuation of his No. 4388 dated 16th November 1883 forwarding Copy of a letter from the Superintendent Central Jail, Bangalore, giving Comparative statement of the Cost of Military Prisoners Confined in the Central Jail under Sentences transmitted by Civil and Military Stations of Bangalore from the date of Introduction to the 30th September 1883.

File in Council

H.S.

Submitted with file

Camp No. 45 Enc: 1.

Office of the Resident in Mysore
Belur
D/ Camp ~~Mercara~~, 6th December 1883

To

The Secretary to the
Government of India,
Foreign Department,
Calcutta.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith ~~copy of the~~ for the information of the Government of India copies of the correspondence noted in the margin, and to state that at present persons sentenced to imprisonment by the Courts of the Civil & Military Station of Bangalore are confined in the Bangalore Central Jail which belongs to the Mysore State. From the statement received with the letter from the Dewan's Secretary it will be seen that the cost to the Native State on account of the maintenance of Convicts & under-trial prisoners of the Civ & Mil Station

1. From the Registrar of the Chief Court in Mysore, No. 19 dated 20th Augt 1883.
2. To the Dewan of Mysore, No. 1309/271 dated 11th September 1883.
3. From the Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore, No. 4388/205 dated 16th Novr 1883 and its enclosures.

from the date of the Reduction up to the 30th September last has amounted to Rs 8790-9-2.

I propose, with the approval of H.E. the Governor General in Council to credit the Mysore Govt with the amount of the above charge in the account with the Durbar for the surplus Revenues of the Assigned Tract which is now in their hands.

I am also of opinion that the Central Jail should continue to be used as the Jail for the ... Station and that the charge for the up-keep of the prisoners of the Station should as suggested by Dr Henderson, the Supdt of the Central Jail, be adjusted annually with the Durbar, from the Revenues of the Assigned Tract.

2. As regards the question mooted by the Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore, whether convicts sentenced to transportation

* Cost of convicted prisoners confined in the Central Jail — 6828-3

Cost of Convicted and Under-trial prisoners confined in the District Lock-up, — 1962-6-1

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so long as the Mysore Govt may kindly agree to the arrangement

by the Sessions Court of the C & M Stations should be deported to the Andaman Islands, or be confined in the Bangalore Central Jail, as has been done (in the case of) prisoners so sentenced by the Mysore Courts, I have the honor to state that, in my opinion such convicts had better be sent to the Andamans. Dr. Henderson has also expressed the same opinion: I beg to be favored with the views of the Government of India for orders on these points.

I have &c

D.F. Lyall

Offg Resident.

Yelu

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To

India Foreign

Calcutta

Camp Belur, 6th Dec.

Desp. ——

Camp No 45

Encl

Draft for approval

Paper above mentioned is herewith submitted.

~~Secretariat~~

H.V. 4/12

Solicits sanction to the Continuance of the confining persons sentenced to imprisonment by the Courts of this Province at the Supreme Central Jail & to the payment to the Supreme State of the cost of maintaining such prisoners from the Revenues of the occupied Districts, and also to the deportation to the Andamans of the convicts sentenced to transportation.

H. D.

№ 1918/306

Office of the Resident in Mysore
Camp Hassan, 9th Dec. 1883.

To

The Secretary to the Government
of India, Foreign Department
Calcutta.

Sir,

In continuation of my letter
№ 45 dated 6th Instant, I have
the honor to forward herewith
Copy of letter № 4595/218 of the 27th
November 1883 from the Secretary
to the Dewan of Mysore and of
its enclosures regarding the
Cost incurred on the maintenance of Military
prisoners in the Central Jail,
Bangalore up to 30th September 1883.

I have, &c.

Offg Resident.

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No. 913 J.

From

The Offg: Secretary to the
Government of India,

To

The Resident in Mysore.

Foreign Deptt. Dated Fort William, the 12th March 1884.

Judicial. Sir,

I am directed
to acknowledge the receipt
of your letter, No. 1918/306, dated
the 9th of December 1883, and
previous correspondence, on
the subject of the cost and
maintenance of convicts and
prisoners under trial belong=
=ing to the Civil and Military
Station of Bangalore, who are
confined in the jails of the
Native State of Mysore.
In reply I am to convey
to you the orders of the
Government

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Government of India upon the several points raised in the correspondence

2. It appears that hitherto persons convicted by, or under trial in, the British Courts in the Station of Bangalore have been confined in the Bangalore Central jail which lies outside the limits of our jurisdiction. Up to September 30th 1883 the debit which we had incurred to the Native State on account of their maintenance aggregated Rs 8790-9-2, with which you propose to credit the Mysore Government "in the "account with the Durbar for "the surplus revenue of the "Assigned Tract which is now "in their hands." The Governor General

General in Council accepts the charges as shown in your letter, and is pleased to sanction the payment of them as a charge against the revenue of the Assigned Tract; but I am to remark that it is not desirable to encourage the idea that the British Government is bound to account to the Mysore Durbar for the surplus revenue of the Assigned Tract.

3. You request orders as to the destination of convicts sentenced to transportation who have latterly been confined in the Bangalore Central jail, and in reply I am to inform you that such prisoners should be deported to the Andamans under the rules applicable to

to prisoners similarly sentenced in British territory. Arrange= =ments can be made by you with the Government of Madras with a view to carrying out such deportations when necessary.

4. As long as the present arrangements last, it will be preferable to make an annual settlement of accounts with the Mysore Government. The account should be made up to Decem= =ber 31st of each year, and should not, as hitherto, run on until a prisoner has served out his term. But, in the opinion of the Government of India, the present system of reliance upon the jail of a Native State is open to serious objections, which it is desirable

to

to remove. You should therefore take the necessary steps for the construction of a prison of the District jail class, with a lock-up attached to it, for the recep= =tion of convicts sentenced to imprisonment for 12 months and under, and for prisoners under trial.

5. There will then remain a small number of prisoners sentenced to longer periods of imprison= =ment, or of transportation convicts whom it is undesir= =able to send to the Andamans For them arrangements may conveniently be made with the Madras Government with a view to their admission to the Vellore or the Salem Central Jail. You are requested

to

to correspond direct with the Madras Government on the subject.]

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt. servant,

H M Durand

Offg: Secretary to the Government of India.

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From

OFFICE OF THE
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RESIDENT IN MYSORE

Indian Foreign

Dated 12 March 1884

Received 18 " "

No. 913

Conveying the orders of the Govt. of India on the subject of Cost and maintenance of Convicts and Prisoners under trial who are sent to the Central Station of Bangalore, who are confined in the Jails of the Native State of Mysore.

To Chief Secretary

To Asst. Chief Secretary

To the Same No 1137 87/163

No 45

Office of the Dewan of Mysore
Bangalore 26th March 1884.

To

The Resident
in Mysore

Sir,

I have the honor to bring to your notice that, at present, persons sentenced by Courts Martial in the Bangalore Civil and Military station are confined in the Central Jail at Bangalore where sentences of whipping passed upon them are also executed. Under article 151, Chapter V, Act V of 1869, the sentences of Courts Martial have to be executed in the nearest Jail; but article 152 Contemplates the Confinement of prisoners under sentence of such Courts in a Jail or other place within the local limits of the Military

Command

Command.

2. Under such circumstances, the legality of the Execution of Sentences passed by Courts Martial, in a Gaol which is situated beyond the limits of the Civil and Military station, appears open to question, and I have therefore the honor to request an Expression of your opinion as to whether the existing arangements should continue, or whether any change is under Contemplation.

3. As regards the prisoners Sentenced by the Criminal Courts of the Civil and Military Station, Sections 302 and 303 of the Criminal Procedure Code (Act X of 1872) Contemplate their Confinement in the Gaol of the District in which the trial is held, and, as since the Rendition the Civil and Military Station

is

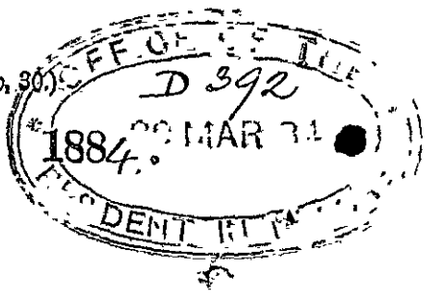
is declared to be a District by itself, Separate from the Bangalore District, the Central Jail which is situated in the latter District is not, as regards the Civil and Military Station prisoners, such a Jail as is contemplated in the Sections above quoted.

4. I make this reference because the question has been raised by the Inspector General of Jails on more than one occasion, and not because the Durbar themselves desire or ask for any alteration of the existing arrangements.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant.

K. Sheshadri Iyer
Dewan.

(General Serial No. 30.)



From

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore.

To The Resident
in Mysore.

Dated 26th. } March 1884.
Despatched 27th. }

Received

Enclosures None.

General No. 45.
No.

Regarding the confinement of Persons sentenced by the Courts Martial and by the Magistrates in the Civil & Military Station of Bangalore, in the Central Jail, Bangalore

No. 2792
547

Dated 28th March 1884

GOVT OF MYSORE

To the Dewan of Mysore.

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By
6 (except Nos 2 & 4)
& P.S.

Sir

In reply to your Secy's letter Nos 4388/205 of the 16th Nov. 1883 and 4575/218 of the 27th idem I am directed to inform you for the orders which he received from the Govt of India with regard to the imprisonment of prisoners convicted by the Courts of the Civil Stations, and at present lodged in the Bangalore Central Jail.

2. The Govt of India accepts

I have charged Rs 8750-9-2
for the keep of the
prisoners up to the 30th
Sept last which amt
should be credited to
the Dunbar. in my account of the revenues
I have also forwarded a draft at present kept in this Treasury
and I am also to request that
a supplimental acct
may be furnished showing
what further
charges were incurred under this
head up to the close
of 1883 - In this account the expense on account of convicts
whose term of imprisonment had not then expired
should be included.
3. I am also to
request that for the
future all charges
for the keep of prisoners (including persons whose terms of
imprisonment have not expired
may be kindly furnished
annually for adjustment
in this office, the accounts
to be forwarded made up to
the 31st December of each year.

4. The Govt of Madras directs that in future convicts ~~sentenced~~ sentenced to transportation by the ~~Sessions~~ Courts in the C & Kn Sts should be deported under the usual arrangements to the Andaman Islands and that for the reception of prisoners sentenced to ~~xxx~~ * 12 months and under, & for prisoners under trial, a prison of the district Jail Class ~~Second~~ with a lock up attached should be constructed in the station. The small number of prisoners remaining sentenced to longer periods of imprisonment, & of transportation convicts whom it is undesirable to send to the Andamans may, under arrangements to be made with the Madras Govt be confined in the Vellore

or Salem Central Jails.

5. With a view to carrying out these orders of the Govt. of India I am directed to request that you will be so good as to furnish the Resident with a return of the men if any who might now be sent to the Andamans under these orders: if there are any or if in your opinion such men are circumstances which in Dr. Henderson's opinion make it undesirable to deport them Mr Lyall would be obliged if Dr H will give a statement of the reasons.

6. Regarding the construction of a District Jail for the C & M Station, it is probable that the Resident may possibly have to request the Government of India to reconsider their orders, but to help him in the consideration of this matter, Mr. Lyall wishes

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to obtain such information from the Superintendent of the Bangalore Central Jail as follows: —

(1) a return of the average daily number of C & M Station prisoners, male and female, adults and boys, European and Native, and Civilian and Military, who have been confined in the Bangalore Prison and Lock-up respectively during the Reduction, specifying in regard to prisoners the number sentenced to more or less than one year's imprisonment.

(2) an estimate of the amount of Maximum accommodation for each class of prisoners requiring separate treatment which will be likely to be required

in a C & M Station Jail and Lock up such as that contemplated by the Govt of India.

As Dr Henderson has to make out bills for the charges of prisoners of all kinds, civil and military, from the C & M Station, it would, it is believed, be much easier for him than for any other officer to give the Resident information on the points above noted. I am therefore to request you will be so good as to permit me to correspond and communicate officially with Dr Henderson on the subject.

I have &c

HW

Asstt. to the Ag[illegible] &

Dr Henderson could probably give the above information without much difficulty, and from his superintendence of Jail management in Bangalore his advice would be invaluable.

P.S. after this letter has been written the Resident has received your no 45 of 26th inst in which you ~~request~~ ~~the Resident to consider~~ his opinion ~~& instruct~~ on certain legal questions ~~& the~~ which have been raised as to the legality of the continuance of the existing arrangement whereby prisoners of the C.M.S are confined in the Darbar central Jail.

Mr L thinks you will agree that the instructions received in the Govt have attended to this aspect of the case, & that it is not now necessary for him to express an opinion.

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To

The Dewan of Mysore

Dated 28th March

Despatched 29th do

No 2792
547

Communicates the orders of the Govt of India with regard to the imprisonment of prisoners committed by the Courts of the C. & M. Station, or by Courts Martial, and at present lodged in the Bangalore Central Jail.

Encloses Copies of Nos 936 / 447 / 2324 / 93

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From

To The Secy: to the Govt of India,
Foreign Departt
Simla

Dated 31st March
Despatched 1st April
Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 2836
No. 447

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 1115-G. dated 30th May 1883, I have the honor to forward, for the information of H.-G. the Governor General in Council, copy of letter No 2792/547 dated 28th March addressed to the Dewan of Mysore on the subject of your letter No 913-I. dated 12th idem, regarding the imprisonment of prisoners convicted by the Courts of the Civil and Military Station or by Courts martial and at present lodged in the Central Jail at Bangalore.

I have &c.

M Gordon

Resident

A 89/49 § 7-4-8

Ch.
Asst Secretary
Gov. of Macao

Sir.

In forwarding the accompanying Copy of letter No 913, 912 from & from the G. of S. conveying certain orders in regard to the disposal of Prisoners sentenced by the British Courts in the C & S. S. Bengalee to transportation or imprisonment for a term of years, I am desired by the Municipal Council to refer to para 4 & 5 of the above letter & to enquire whether, with the permission of H. E. the G. in C. arrangements can be made for keeping such prisoners, when

sentenced to more than
one year imprisonment
either to Vellore or
Salem. It seems to
Mr. Hyde that the
Jail at Vellore ought
be the most convenient.

I am further, with
reference to para 3 to
ask whether prisoners
sentenced to transportation
~~transportation~~ may be sent from
Bangalore, as soon as
the period of appeal
has passed. to Vellore
or Salem (whichever
Jail is fixed upon) leaving
only it to ~~be decided~~
~~by~~ the Jail Committee
there, whether the cir-
cumstances are fit to be known
to the Authorities
to the Prisoners in that case
and ~~they~~ to be sent
thence to the Madras
Penitentiary or else
fixed by the Inspector
P. P. & Prisons Madras.

— to whether such com-
mutation should be allo-
wed here, and in case the
Prisoner is passed for
Transportation, ~~he~~
he should be kept
here till the time
comes to send him to
Madras. The former
procedure would seem
the simpler & more
convenient, as, if the
transportation warrant
is not for ~~forthcoming~~
to be sent
to the Undermentioned be
held bound to be Kept
in a Madras Jail, &
further, as the Jail at
Bangalore will be ex-
cedingly Small it
might be objectionable
to allow to keep on it
for some months Pri-
soners convicted of very
grave offences & under
sentence of Transportation
Have &c

HS

Capt Reid S.C.

1884

To The Chief Secretary
Govt of Madras

Dated 7 April 1882
Read 8 " "
No 89/49
Enclosure

Forwards Copy of a letter No 913.3 dated 12th March 1882 from the Govt of India and enquires whether arrangements can be made for sending prisoners sentenced by the British Courts in Mid C.I. to station of Bangalore either to Vellore or Salem Central Jail.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

LETTER—to

THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE,
Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to Major Wylie's letter, dated 7th April 1884, No. 89-49, I am directed to forward, for your consideration, the enclosed letter from Colonel Tennant, the Inspector-General of Jails, and to request that this Government may be informed, if possible, of the probable number of convicts, male and female, for whom accommodation will be required. I am also to ask for an expression of opinion on the suggestion made by Colonel Tennant, that the Bangalore Jail should be placed under him; His Excellency the Governor in Council would have no objection to the suggestion being adopted, if it would tend to facilitate the attainment of the object in view.

2. With reference to paragraph 2 of the letter under reply, I am to say that His Excellency the Governor in Council agrees with the opinion that prisoners sentenced to transportation in Bangalore should be sent as soon as the period of appeal has elapsed to the Vellore Jail in order that the Jail Committee there may decide whether the convicts are fit to be transported to the Andamans

3. On receipt of a reply to this letter, His Excellency the Governor in Council will direct that arrangements be made for the receipt into the local jails of this presidency of any prisoners who may be sent under your orders from Bangalore.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

OOTACAMUND,
15*th May* 1884.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1884} Madras.

JUDICIAL.

Issued

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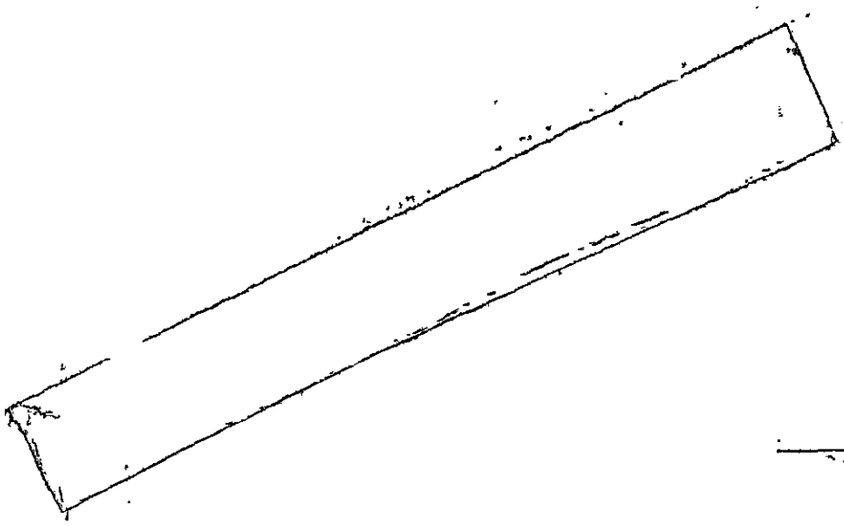
Letter, 15th May 1884, No. 1204.



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Bangalore Prisoners.

Forwarding, with remarks, letter from Inspector-General of Jails regarding transfer of prisoners sentenced by British Courts in Bangalore to Madras Jails.

Encl. to 5-A 10/2

15TH MAY 1884, No. 1203, JUDICIAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

From Major H. WYLIE, C.S.I., Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Bangalore, 7th April 1884, No. 89-49.

In forwarding the accompanying copy of letter, No. 913 J., dated 12th March 1884, from the Government of India, conveying certain orders in regard to the disposal of prisoners sentenced by the British Courts in the Civil and Military station of Bangalore to transportation or imprisonment for a term of years, I am desired by the Resident, with reference to paragraphs 4 and 5 of the above letter, to inquire whether, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, arrangements can be made for sending such prisoners when sentenced to more than one year's imprisonment either to Vellore or Salem. It seems to Mr. Lyall that the jail at Vellore would be the most convenient.

2. I am further, with reference to paragraph 3, to ask whether prisoners sentenced to transportation may be sent from Bangalore, as soon as the period of appeal has passed, to Vellore or Salem (whichever jail is fixed upon), leaving it to the Jail Committee there to decide whether the convicts are fit to be transported to the Andamans and to order them in that case to be sent thence to the Madras Penitentiary on date fixed by the Inspector-General of Prisons, Madras, or whether such committee should be held here, and in case the prisoner is passed for transportation, he should be kept here till the time comes to send him to Madras. The former procedure would seem the simpler and more convenient, as, if the transportation convict is not fit to be sent to the Andamans, he will have to be kept in a Madras Jail, and further, as the jail at Bangalore will be exceedingly small, it might be objectionable to have to keep in it for some months prisoners convicted of very grave offences and under sentence of transportation.

ENCLOSURE.

From H. M. DURAND, Esq., Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department (Judicial), to the Resident in Mysore, dated Fort William, 12th March 1884, No. 913 J.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 1918-306, dated the 9th of December 1883, and previous correspondence, on the subject of the cost and maintenance of convicts and prisoners under trial belonging to the Civil and Military station of Bangalore, who are confined in the jails of the Native State of Mysore. In reply, I am to convey to you the orders of the Government of India upon the several points raised in the correspondence.

2. It appears that hitherto persons convicted by, or under trial in, the British Courts in the station of Bangalore have been confined in the Bangalore Central Jail which lies outside the limits of our jurisdiction. Up to 30th September 1883, the debt which we had incurred to the Native State on account of their maintenance aggregated Rs. 8,790-9-2, with which you propose to credit the Mysore Government "in the account with the durbar for the surplus revenue of the assigned tract which is now in their hands." The Governor-General in Council accepts the charges as shown in your letter, and is pleased to sanction the payment of them as a charge against the revenue of the assigned tract, but I am to remark that it is not desirable to encourage the idea that the British Government is bound to account to the Mysore durbar for the surplus revenue of the assigned tract.

3. You request orders as to the destination of convicts sentenced to transportation who have latterly been confined in the Bangalore Central Jail, and, in reply, I am to inform you that such prisoners should be deported to the Andamans under the rules applicable to prisoners similarly sentenced in British territory. Arrangements can be made by you with the Government of Madras with a view to carrying out such deportations when necessary.

4. As long as the present arrangements last, it will be preferable to make an annual settlement of accounts with the Mysore Government. The account should be made up to 31st December of each year, and should not, as hitherto, run on until a prisoner has served out his term. But, in the opinion of the Government of India, the present system of reliance upon the jail of a Native State is open to serious objections, which it is desirable to remove. You should, therefore, take the necessary steps for the construction of a prison of the district jail class, with a lock-up attached to it, for the reception of convicts sentenced to imprisonment for 12 months and under, and for prisoners under trial.

5. There will then remain a small number of prisoners sentenced to longer periods of imprisonment, or of transportation convicts whom it is undesirable to send to the Andamans. For them arrangements may conveniently be made with the Madras Government with a view to their admission to the Vellore or the Salem Central Jail. You are requested to correspond direct with the Madras Government on the subject.

From Colonel T. E. TENNANT, Inspector-General of Jails, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 2nd May 1884, No. 134.

Referred to me with your endorsement, No. 865, dated 17th April 1884.

In returning the letter from the Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, dated 7th April 1884, with enclosure, proposing that arrangements should be entered into with the Madras Government under which convicts sentenced to imprisonment for periods of more than 12 months, by the British Courts in the Civil and Military station of Bangalore, shall be sent to the central jail either at Vellore or Salem, I have the honor to remark that it is not stated for what number of convicts accommodation is likely to be required. The available jail accommodation at Vellore and Salem is not in excess of our own requirements, and it may not unfrequently happen that drafts of prisoners cannot be received owing to the want of room. But should the present requisition be favorably received by Government, I would recommend that before further steps are taken the Resident in Mysore be requested to state the probable number of prisoners of this class (male and female) that are likely to be sent every year. I also take this opportunity to mention that European and East Indian convicts cannot conveniently be received into these central jails; prisoners of this class would therefore have to be sent either to the Penitentiary at Madras, or to the European Prison at Ootacamund.

2. Long-sentenced prisoners convicted at the stations where the central jails are situated are committed thereto direct, but those sentenced at out-stations are transferred to central jails periodically by order of the Inspector-General, under the authority vested in him by section 30, Act V of 1871. To each central jail a circle of district jails is attached, and endeavours are made as far as possible to transfer to the central jail only from the district jails of the circle, and no prisoner is transferred to a central jail except under special circumstances until his period of appeal has expired or the appeal has been rejected.

3. It will thus be seen that the transfers to central jails are conducted upon fixed principles in conformity with the jail rules; and every prisoner is sent to the central jail of his own circle, unless it may be necessary to transfer him elsewhere, owing to the want of accommodation, or for some other sufficient reason.

4. For the reasons given above I think it will prove inconvenient if the authorities at Bangalore are permitted to commit prisoners direct to our central jails. To meet this objection, I would suggest that the officer in charge of the Bangalore Jail should submit to the Inspector-General of Jails, Madras, a monthly return of convicts available for transfer, and to leave it to that officer to determine to what central jail such prisoners should be sent.

5. It would probably simplify matters if the district jail at Bangalore were placed under the Inspector-General of Madras. Such an arrangement would ensure

uniformity of administration and avoid misunderstanding. In regard to statistical information, the officer in charge of the Bangalore Jail might be instructed to comply with any requisition made by the resident in respect to returns, &c. I presume that the Government of India will be prepared to defray all expenses for the maintenance and transfer of such prisoners.

ORDER—dated 15th May 1884, No. 1203, Judicial.

Ordered that the following letter be sent :—

[Here enter No. 1204, dated 15th May 1884.]

(True Extract.)

E. E. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1884} Madras.

JUDICIAL.

Issued.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 15th May 1884, No. 1203.

MAY.

Bangalore Prisoners.

Forwarding, with remarks, for consideration of the Resident, Bangalore, letter from Inspector-General of Jails regarding transfer of prisoners sentenced by British Courts in Bangalore to Madras Jails.

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In both instances are Inspt Genl of Prisons Kindly letters have been addressed upon as soon as possible.

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OFFICE OF THE
6 JUN 1888
PRESIDENCY SORE

From
The Superintendent,
Central Jail, Bangalore.

Bangalore Central Jail,
Superintendent's Office

To
The Secretary to the Resident
in Mysore, Bangalore

Dated 4th June
Despatched
Received

Enclosures No.

No. 341

Subject.

With reference to your letter No. 573/339 dated 4th June, I have the honour to inform that all the information required in your letter of 24th March has been forwarded from this to the Inspector General of Prisons, Mysore, through who office it

× on 12th June

was received, for transmission to you.

Any further information will be readily furnished if required direct.

I have the honor to be
Very
Your most Obed't Serv't

L. Kennedy
Superintendent

Statement showing the Daily average number of Convicted Prisoners of the Civil & Military Station divided into 1 year and under, and above one year

Convicts	Native Adults		Native Juvenile		European & Eurasians		Native Civilians		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total
1 year & under	20	3	1	"	1	"	3	"	25	3	28
Above 1 year	41	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	42	"	42
Total									67	3	70

Central Jail
Superintendent's Office
Bangalore 12th June 1884

J. Henderson

No 591/309 Date 7 June 1882

To the Inspectors Genl
of Prisons
Ireland

Sir

I have the honor by dir.
tion of the Resident to re-
quest that the Statistics
to be
prepared by the Supt. of
the Central Jail on the 12th
proximo of the Numbers
of Prisoners sentenced
by Courts of the C.P.M.S.
to Imprisonment for
a term not exceeding
6 months from date may
be transmitted
to this Office as early as
possible.

The Statistics on previous
occasions have enabled the
Resident to dispose of
a reference on the subject
from the Earl of Meath

I have &c

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Asst Secy

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From No. 309.

To The Right Revd The Lord Bishop of Victoria

Dated 7 June

Despatched 9

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Enclosures No.

General No. 591

No. 309

Requesting to furnish this Office the statistics of the number of Prisoners sentenced by Courts of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore imprisoned or transported

No 591
309

Petty Queen 1882

To the Inspectors Genl
of Prisons
Ireland

Dublin

I have the honor by dir.
tion of the Resident Comm.
sioner to state that the Statistical
Forms ordered by you for
the Central Jail on the 12th
Ulcay last of the Numbers
of Prisoners sentenced
by Courts of the C.P.M.D.
to Imprisonment for
Short Terms not exceeding
14 days specified, forwarded
to this Office as early as
possible.

The Statistics in question
are required to enable the
Resident Commissioner to answer
a Reference on the subject
from the Secretary of State

I have &c

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Asst Secy

16.6.84

ROYAL COMMISSION

Dear Mr Boyle,

I send you some Statements & Remarks about the Tests for the Current Daily Station — which I hope will be of service — If you require any explanations of them, or anything else, I shall be happy to afford it at any time —

Yours faithfully
J. Henderson

Estimate of maximum accommodation required for different class of Prisoners of the Civil & Military Station Bangalore.

Class of Prisoners	Native			European & Eurasians		Total		
	Male	Juveniles	Female	Male	Female	M	F	total
Convicted	34	3	8	3	2	40	10	50
Under Trial	8	"	3	1	1	9	4	13
Civil debtors	3	"	1	1	1	4	2	6
Vagrants	"	"	"	1	"	1	"	1
Total	45	3	12	6	4	54	16	70

Central Jail
Superintendent's Office
Bangalore 18th June/84

L. Henderson
Supt

Jail for the Civil and Military Cantonment

Memo

The Jail would be required to give accommodation for the following classes of prisoners:-

Native male Convicted.
" Female do
" Juvinile do

Native male undertrial
" Female do

Native male civil
" Female do

European and East Indian male Convicted
" Female do

" Male undertrial
" Female do

" Male civil
" Female do
also Vagrants

Among these, the convicted are of two classes, those of short sentence (1 year and under) and those of longer. The whole of the first will always be present, but only a portion of the latter. those waiting issue of appeal.

For the sake of convenience and economy in supervision it will be as well, I presume, to have the accommodation for all classes in one place, or set of buildings — only in distinct and separate yards

or

or walled enclosures + the buildings in each enclosure being made suitable for the particular purpose required.

Probably five separate enclosures would answer.

/ for Native male Convicted.
/ " under trial
/ " Civil
/
/ for Europeans and East Indians of all Kinds
/ for Females of all Kinds

Juveniles also should be separated but probably it would do to have a separate room for them to sleep in.

The Europeans and East Indians might all be put in one ward, because they must be locked up in separate cells and do not or need not mix - and the various Kinds can thus easily be kept apart.

The females also of all Kinds may be in the same enclosure, because it is necessary to have their Prison under charge of a Matron - and one would do for all. There would of course

require to be separate buildings or wards in the yard to keep the various kinds apart. It might even be subdivided by railings.

The enclosures and buildings for native male under trial and civil would be small. Among the former it would be as well to have separate accommodation for those committed to the Sessions. Native Court martial prisoners would go with the rest and European soldiers imprisoned by Civil Courts with the others of their class.

The maximum accommodation for the various classes which would be required, is shewn in the Statement attached.

Besides the wards there would be needed various other buildings, as follows:-

Guard Rooms
Hospital for 2 or 3 patients
Store Rooms
Cells (2 or 3)
Latrines
Bathing places
An Office Room
A work shed
one or two wells

Quarters for a jailor

Do Matron &ca.

A Hospital Assistant might be attached who would be available to attend flogging at the jail or Magistrates Court.

What is most urgently needed I presume, is a Lock up or place of confinement for under trial prisoners this ought to be commenced as soon as possible. All the wards should, of course, be constructed according to usual rules as to cubic space, ventilation &ca &ca.

16/6/84. / Signed J. Henderson

The transfer of Prisoners might begin at any time. I should think Madras might be told that the average for which accommodation would be required would be 35 to 40 males and 12 females.

Do

19. 6. 84

To

Superintendent
Central Jail
Hampshire

My dear Henderson

Mr. Izall
Has desired me to thank
you for the information
sent with your note of Do.

Referring to the
correspondence ended with
your letter of the D. C. date of the
16th Instant I beg to inform you
and to state that the Prison-
Commissioners consider
that the necessary arrangements
with the Madras Govt.
will certainly be com-
pleted by the end of
July which will en-
able Government, after that
date to send all C.
& M. S. prisoners, there-
after sentenced to more
than a year, to some
one of the Madras Jails,
as soon as the period
of appeal has expired.

Mr Izall is of

opinion that it would
be advisable at the
same time to transfer
to Madras Jails all
C. & M. S. Prisoners in
the Bangalore Central
Jail sentenced to one
hundred days or
one year, except those
who have nearly com-
pleted their term
of imprisonment; by
which means the inconvenience
those whose term will
be completed on or
before the 31st Dec: 84.

The Resident will therefore
be much obliged ~~if~~ if you will give
him as early as possible
a return showing how
many C. & M. S. Prisoners
sentenced to over one
year ~~are~~ are in the Central
Jail will, by that
proposal, come to the

Transferred to Madras
Jails on the 1st August
next. The Return the 2d
~~Jan. Quarter~~ give such
classification of the
Prisoners as may be
useful to the Inspector
General of Prisons Madras,
to enable him to decide
on to where they must
be sent.

J. Thomson

KW

Asst Resident

C161.

Despatch letter to Madras in reply to theirs in as suggested by Mr. Secy's note of 18/6/84

Copy of the statement within must be sent with our letter as it has been sent to Madras

OFFICE OF THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE
24 JUN

Bangalore Central Jail,
Superintendent's Office.

From The Superintendent,
Central Jail, Bangalore.

To The Asst to the Resident in Mysore

Dated 24th June 1884.
Despatched do:-
Received

Enclosures No. One

No 1394

Subject.

In compliance with your request herewith I have the honour to forward a statement showing the number of convicted prisoners sentenced to rigorous imprisonment which will not be entirely expired by the end of December 1884.

I have the honour
Sir
Your most obedient
Servant
J. Kennedy
Superintendent

Statement Shewing the number of Convicted Prisoners now in Jail from Civil & Military Station Courts whose Sentence of over one year will not have expired on 31st December 1884.—

Sl. No.	Register No.	Name.	Age	Crime.	Sentenced. Date.	Term. Yrs.	Mths.	Days.	Date of Release.	Remarks
1.	5399.	Shaik Hazeed	28	Theft & old offender	17th June 1881.	6			17th June 1887.	
2.	5467.	Moonisawmy.	31	H. B. & theft & do.	15th August 1881	5			15th August 1886.	
3.	5520.	Govindaraj.	16	Theft in a building & do.	29th September 81.	4			29th September 85.	
4.	5592.	Arumogam.	20	Theft & old offender	25th November 81	4			25th November 85.	
5.	5622.	Sholay.	30	H. B. and theft.	15th December 81	7			15th December 88.	
6.	5653.	Abdul Khader.	30	Theft & old offender	14th January 82	5			14th January 1887.	
7.	5654.	Joseph Nagail	27	do do	do do	5			do do	
8.	5684.	Boca.	28	do do	15th February 82	3			15th February 85	
9.	5870.	Moonisimmah	35	do	26th August 82	5			26th August 1887.	
10.	5878.	Coopsawmy.	23	Theft.	2nd September 82	3			2nd September 85.	
11.	5887.	Govindarajoo	28	Theft & old offender	12th September 82	3			12th do do	
12.	5961.	James Williamo.	26	Rape.	15th November 82	4			15th November 86.	
13.	5962	Veerannah.	20	Attempt at do.	16th do do	5			16th November 87.	
14.	6004	Coopasamy.	31	Theft & old offender	9th January 83.	2			9th January 85.	
15.	6007.	Frances.	23	Theft in a building	15th January 1883	2	2		15th April 85.	
16.	6018.	Moonisamy.	17	do & old offender	26th do do	2			26th January 85.	
17.	6020.	Viswasam.	30	Receiving Stolen property	1st February 83	2			1st February 85.	
18.	6030.	Venkatoamy.	36	H. B. & theft & old offender	15th do do	5			15th February 88.	
19.	6181.	Kolandayl.	23	do do	15th March 1883.	7			15th March 90	
20.	6222	Govindarajoo.	25	Theft & old offender	11th May 1883	2			11th May 85.	
21.	6247.	Maarijan.	40	Murder	23rd June 1883.	Transportation for Life.				
22.	6320.	Sundyow.	29	Begamy	16th August 1883.	2	6		16th February 86.	
23.	6356.	Zachary.	22	H. B. & theft.	18th September 83	3			18th September 86.	
24.	6373.	Devasagayam	26	Theft in a dwelling	3rd October 83.	2			3rd October 85.	
25.	6410.	Rajoo.	22	Theft & old offender	15th November 83.	3			15th November 86.	
26.	6433.	Mooga.	30	do do	14th December 83.	2			14th December 85.	
27.	6436.	Runjiah.	16.	H. B. & theft.	21st do do	2			21st do do	
28.	6437.	Ram Bhadrah	25	do do	do do do do	2			do do do do	
29.	6449.	Hanumanthoo.	19	do do	7th January 84.	2			7th January 86.	
30.	6476.	Ramah.	19	Administering Stupefying drug.	15th February 84	5			15th February 89.	
31.	6572.	Narayani.	14	Theft & old offender	31st March 84.	2			31st March 86.	
32.	6542.	Shaik Hyder.	20	do do	28th April 84	1	3		28th July 1885.	
33.	6544.	Syed Mohdeen.	26	Criminal Misappropriation	29th do do	2			29th April 86.	
34.	6549.	Moonireddy.	27	H. B. & theft.	5th May 84	1	3		5th August 1885	
35.	6551.	Sid Runjah.	25	Theft & old offender	6th do do	2			6th May 1886.	
36.	6577.	Syed Abdul Khader	34	H. B. & theft.	30th do do	2			30th May 1886.	
37.	6581.	Chowtian.	36	Bad Character.	5th June 84.	2			5th June 1886.	

Superintendent's Office
Bangalore Central Jail
Bangalore dated 14th June 84.

A. Mercaen
Superintend
Central Ja

Dated 7th July 1884

No 803
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To

The Chief Secretary
Madras

Sir,

I have the honor by
desire of the President to
acknowledge the receipt
of your letter No. 1204 Jud.
dated the 16th May 1884, on
the subject of the Records
of Prisoners sentenced by
Courts in the C.T.M.L. of
Bellary, to Jails in the
Madras Presidency.

In reply to the enquiries of
Courts, Male & female
that to be transferred, for whom
accommodation ought
be required, I am
that during the last
three years the average
daily number in the
Dy. Central Jail at Bellary
Jail of C.T.M.L. Prisoners
sentenced to rigorous

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Directed to forward a
Copy of a report submitted
by the Superintendent Bangalore
Central Jail from which
it will be

has been 42, of whom 41 were native adults and one was a juvenile. Mr. Dyall is of opinion that when the system of imprisoning in Madras Jails all over the Presidency comes into full operation the numerical accommodation will be required will probably be from 35 to 40 males & 2 females.

3 Judging from the sentences of the past 3 years there are about 4 to 5 cases of European & East. Indian convicts sentenced to more than one years imprisonment. When such cases occur the Officer in charge of the Manufactures can be directed to make a special report to the Inspector of Jails Madras

4 There are at present in the Bangalore Central Jail 37 Prisoners from the C. & M. S. where terms of imprisonment will not have expired by the 31st Decr. next. Mr. Dyall is of opinion that it would be advisable to transfer these men to Madras Jails as soon as arrangements can be conveniently made by the Superr. Genl. of Prisons

In their reception. A list of the Prisoners in Detention, showing the Nature of Crime, date and period of Detention Candidate of Release is enclosed for the information of the Civil Authorities.

5- With reference to para 4 of Colonel Lennard's letter No. 134 of the 2nd Inst. Copy of which was accompanied your letter under reply I am directed to state that the C. in C. desires that the Sentences of Detention will be instructed to permit the Supt. Gaol of Prisoners Medical Reports from time to time with a monthly return of Convicts Classified according to Sentences to show variations with in the individual Di...

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and it will be left
to the Jail Committee
of the Bangalore
Jail to decide
whether they can fit
to be sent to the
Andamans.

My d[illegible]
Lieut Kennedy is
here & Col Cumming
suggests that the
Inspector Gen of Jails
Madras should
also Inspect the
Central Bangalore
Jail, but before
the arrangement could
be made [illegible] would
have to obtain the
Govt approval of the
Govt of India.

He does not think that
Govt would approve
of the arrangement
if it involved any
additional charge for
inspection. He suggests
if you could propose that
the Bangalore Jail
should continue under
Madras Jail: the
returns & reports would
be submitted to the
Inspr Gen who would
visit Bangalore on the
Residents requiring by order
the Inspr Gen would
have to report to
the Resident who
has the powers of
Loc Govt in the
Cantt of
Bangalore.

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No. 820/129

Office of the Resident at Mysore

Bangalore, 9 July 1884

To

The Dewan

of Mysore

Sir,

I am directed to invite attention to para 2 of my letter No. 2792/547 dated 28th March 1884, and to request that the Statement of account showing the expense incurred for the upkeep ~~in the Bangalore Central Jail~~ of prisoners convicted by the Courts of the Station of Bangalore in the Bangalore Central Jail up to 31st December 1883, therein called for, may be furnished to this Office at an early date.

I have, &c.,

[signature]

Apte to the Resident

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From

To The Queen
& Empress

Dated 9 July 1884

Despatched 10th

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 820

No. 129

Requesting to forward
Statement of accounts
Cattle for this Office.

Answered 23rd July 1884 No 2792 & 28 March 1885
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No. 2324/98.

Office of the Dewan of Mysore
Bangalore 15th June 1884

From

The Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore,

To

The Assistant to the
Resident in Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 2192/547 of the 28th March 1884, I am directed to forward herewith the undermentioned Statements received from the Superintendent of the Central Jail Bangalore.

1. Statement showing cost of Prisoners of the Civil and Military Station who were confined in the Central Jail, from 1st October to 31st December 1883, amounting to Rupees 6172-9-2.

2. A similar Statement for Prisoners confined in the Bangalore District Lockup, amounting to Rs 202-5-5.

3. Statement showing the number of Prisoners of the Civil & Military Station confined in the Central Jail and District Lockup since the Revision up to 31st March 1884.

This is misleading, as the Civil & Military Prisoners during the quarter ending 31st Dec 1882 which was entered in the previous statement to the tune of Rs [illegible] 3. Total of Civil & Military Prisoners for the quarter ending 31st Dec 1883 was Rs [illegible] 2. See para 4 of letter No 913 J. of 12th March 1884 H.D.

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It is believed that all other information which you may desire has been furnished to the President by Dr. Henderson.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
R. Wyndham Beste
Secretary

WMF.

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The cost will have to be debited to ~~must be passed upon~~ the Revenues of the last official year kept in the Mysore Treasy. -

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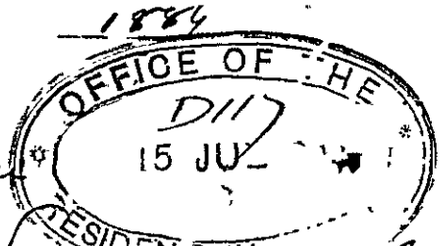

From

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore

Dated 15th July 1884

Received 15th " —

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No. 2324/98.

With reference to this office No. 2792/547 dated 28th March 1884 forwards certain statements received from the Supdt Central Jail Bangalore regarding the cost of provisions of the Jail. Statements which were confused in the Central Jail.

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The statements of expenses sent to the Foreign Department with this office Nos. 458 & 1918/306 of 6 Decr/83 & 9 Decr/83 amounted to Rs 9732. 2. 1. and the Govt of India only sanctioned the payment of Rs 8790. 9. 2. apparently an Oversight. X

The statements now received from the Durbar may be sent to India and sanction applied for the payment of Rs 7316-7. 6 ie Rs 6374. 14. 1 M/s Cost up to 31 Decr & Rs 941. 8. 11 The difference of former account 7316. 7. 6

X which was the amount shown in our first letter No. 45 of 6th Decr 83. the second letter No 1918/306 of 9th Decr 83 showing the sum of 941. 8. 11 added — 8790. 9. 2 Total Rs 9732. 2. 1

Return shewing the number of Prisoners from the Courts of the Civil and Military Stations Bangalore confined in the Central Jail and District Jail since the Rendition to 31st of March 1884.

Jails	Classes of Prisoners	Native Adults M	Native Adults F	Native Juveniles M	Native Juveniles F	Europeans M	Europeans F	East Indians M	East Indians F	Native Military M	Native Military F	Total M	Total F	Total	Period of Sentence: 1 year and under	Above 1 year	Transportation for life	Death	Remarks
Central Jail	Convicted	205	116	19	6	9	5	14	13	26	"	273	140	413	354	57	1	1	
	Under-trial	3	27	"	2	2	1	6	"	"	"	11	30	41					
	Civil	"	5	"	"	1	1	2	1	"	"	3	7	10					
	Total	208	148	19	8	12	7	22	14	26	"	287	177	464	Daily average of all classes of Prisoners				Male 452 Female 10 Total 462
District & Sessions	Convicted	252	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	252	"	252	All sentenced for one month and under				
	Under-trial	298	"	77	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	375	"	375					
	Civil	38	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	38	"	38					
	Total	588	"	77	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	665	"	665	Daily average of all classes of Prisoners				8 all females

Superintendent's Office
Bangalore Central Jail
Dated 15th May 1884.

A. Macaulay
Superintendent
Central Jail.

Bangalore Central Jail

Bill of Cost of Prisoners of the Civil and Military Station, STATE OF MYSORE Bangalore up to 31st December 1883

Court.	No. of Prisoners	Period remained in Jail. Y.	M.	D.	Average cost per Prisoner	Amount of Cost. Rs.	As.	P.	Total. Rs.	As.	P.	Remarks.
Prisoners released from 1st October to 31st Dec 1883												
Civil Court Bangalore	1	"	"	1			3	6				
	2	"	"	3		1	5	"				
	5	"	"	7		7	10	11				
	2	"	"	8		3	8	2				
	1	"	"	10		2	3	1				
	1	"	"	16		3	8	2				
	1	"	"	24		5	4	3				
	4	"	3	"		79	"	"				
	1	"	4	"		26	5	4				
	1	"	6	"		39	8	"				
	19				Total				168	8	5	
Do Criminal Court Bangalore	1	"	"	10		2	3	1				
	1	"	1	"		6	9	4				
	2	"	3	"		39	8	"				
	1	"	6	"		39	8	"				
	6	1	"	"		474	"	"				
	1	1	6	"		118	8	"				
	3	2	"	"		474	"	"				
	15				Total				1154	4	5	
Court of Sessions Bangalore	1	"	3	4		20	10	"				
	2	"	4	"		52	10	8				
	3				Total				73	4	8	
					Carried over				1396	1	6	

Brought forward 1396 1 6

Prisoners whose term of imprisonment had not expired on 31st Dec 1883.

1		1	17		10	4	10	
1		3	14		22	13		
1		4	16		29	13	4	
1		6	9		41	7	6	
1		9	17		62	15	6	
1		10	17		69	8	10	
1	1	1	16		89	1	4	
1	1	1	17		89	4	10	
1	1	4	6		106	10	4	
1	1	5	17		115	10	2	
1	1	9	17		141	15	6	
1	1	10	17		148	8	10	
1	1	11	18		310	11	4	
2	2		17		161	11	6	
1	2	4	17		188		10	
1	2	6	15		200	12	6	
17				Total				1789 6 2

3			11		7	3	6	
1			28		6	2		
1			29		6	5	6	
1		1	9		8	8	10	
1		1	16		10	1	4	
1		1	20		10	15	4	
1		2	2		13	9	8	
1		2	29		19	8	2	
2		4	17		60	1	8	
1		7	21		50	10	10	
1		11	7		76	2	2	
1	1	6	2		118	15		
1	1	6	27		126	6	6	
1	2		27		163	14	6	
17				Total				676 9

Carried over 3862 1 8

Brought forward 3862 - 8

1	"	"	18	3	15	"		
1	"	"	26	5	11	"		
1	"	1	19	10	11	10		
1	"	2	20	17	8	8		
1	"	3	4	20	10	"		
1	"	4	23	31	5	10		
1	"	6	12	42	2	"		
1	"	8	2	53	1	8		
1	"	8	29	59	"	2		
2	"	11	"	144	13	4		
1	"	11	6	73	11	8		
1	"	11	23	77	7	2		
1	1	1	1	85	12	10		
1	1	3	4	99	10	"		
1	1	3	20	103	2	"		
1	1	3	30	105	5	"		
1	1	6	9	120	7	6		
1	1	8	13	134	8	2		
1	1	9	24	143	8	"		
1	1	10	11	147	3	10		
1	1	11	12	154	"	8		
1	1	11	15	154	11	2		
1	1	11	28	157	8	8		
1	2	1	7	166	1	10		
1	2	3	3	178	6	6		
26				Total			2290	8 6

Under-trial Prisoners 5 for 96 days 75 Rs 20 - " 20 - -

Grand Total 6172 9 2

Rs Six thousand one hundred and seventy two, annas nine and nine pies only.

Bang. Central Jail
Supte's office
10th May 1884.

C. Macaulay
Offg Superintendent

Bangalore District Lock-up.

Statement Shewing the number and Cost of Prisoners of the Civil and Military Station, from 1st October to 31st December 1883.

Court.	No. of Prisoners	Period remained in Jail.	Annual average rate per Prisoner	Amount of Cost. Rs.	As.	P.	Total. Rs.	As.	P.	Remarks.
		Convicted Prisoners.								
District Magistrate's Court.	2	For 7 days each	135 Rs. 10 As.	5	2	10				
	1	" 8 do:		2	15	4				
	8	" 15 do: each.		44	6	0				
	1	" 20 do:		7	6	4				
	12	Total.					59	14	6	
2nd Magistrate's Court.	2	For 1 day each.	135 Rs. 10 As.	0	11	10				
	1	" 2 do:		0	11	10				
	1	" 3 do:		1	1	9				
	1	" 10 do:		3	11	2				
	6	" 15 do: each.		33	4	6				
	1	" 16 do:		5	14	8				
	1	" 20 do:		7	6	4				
	3	" 1 Month each.		33	4	6				
	16	Total.					86	2	7	
		Under-trial Prisoners.								
District Magistrate's Court.	1	For 1 day.	135 Rs. 1 As.	0	5	11				
	2	" 3 do: each.		2	3	6				
	2	" 4 do: do:		2	15	4				
	1	" 13 do:		4	12	11				
	1	" 15 do:		5	8	9				
	1	" 23 do:		8	8	1				
	8	Total.					24	6	6	
		Carried over					170	7	7	

2½ Magistrate's Court —

		Brought forward				170	7 7
4	For 1 day.			1	7	8	
3	" 2 do: each			2	3	6	
2	" 3 do: do:			2	3	6	
1	" 4 do:			1	7	8	
5	" 5 do: each.			9	3	11	
2	" 7 do: do:			5	2	10	
1	" 8 do:			2	15	4	
1	" 9 do:			3	5	3	
1	" 10 do:			3	11	2	
20		Total	135			31	12 10
		Grand Total.				202	5 5

Superintendent's Office
Bangalore Central Jail
Dated 16th May 1884.

Superintendent
Central Jail.

No 3441

Ootacamund 8th August 1884

From

H. R. Grimes Esq
Inspector General of Jails

To The Resident in Mysore
Bangalore

Sir

As directed in the order marginally quoted I have the honor to address you regarding the transfer of convicted prisoners now in the Central Jail Bangalore who have been convicted from the Civil and Military station Courts of that cantonment.

S&9A

2. I would request you will inform me whether, as these prisoners have been convicted in a Province, which is under the jurisdiction of the Government of India, the sanction of the Governor General in Council is not necessary under para 32 Sec: V of Act

No V of 1871 before their transfer can be made to the Jails in this Presidency.

3 If I am right in my supposition and such sanction has not been already accorded it will be necessary for you to obtain it before I can take action in the matter of their transfer.

4 I am prepared to receive the thirty seven Prisoners named in the statement which accompanied the Assistant Resident's letter addressed to the Chief Secretary to this Government dated 7th July 1884 No 803-414 and to order their transfer to such Jails as I may deem necessary.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient Servant

Henry Haynes

Inspector General of Jails

From

The Inspector

General of Jails

To

The Resident

Mysore

Dated 8th August 1884.

No 3441.

Regarding the

number of prisoners

sentenced by the Courts

in the Civil and Military

Station of Bangalore to

Jails in Madras.

Presidency Jails - and also such other Convicted prisoners as may hereafter be Convicted -

S.D.

I consider that the letter No. 2523 is sufficient sanction to the transfer. We can wait in order to terminate as soon as possible the system of keeping convicts in the Bijapur Jail and sending them to Madras. In the meantime I will see if some instructions cannot be given to the Superintendent regarding the treatment of the prisoners.

1.

1884 OFFICE OF T... Mis: 639 ... RESIDENT IN MYSORE

From The Inspector General of Jails

To Madras

Dated 8th
Despatched
Received 9th } August 1884

Enclosures No.

No. 3441

Requests to be furnished with certain information regarding the transfer of prisoners sentenced by the Courts in the Civil & Military Station of Bangalore to Jails in Madras.

2nd Reminder 20-8-84 11-9-84 13-9-84

Agreeably to section 32 of the Act, the special sanction of the Govt Genl in Council appears necessary -

In para 5 of letter No 913 J. dt 12th March 1884 from Foreign Dept it is stated that arrangements may conveniently be made with the Madras Government with a view to the admission in the Central Jails at Vellore or Salem of the few prisoners who are sentenced to imprisonment or transportation convicts whom it is undesirable to send to the Andamans. If this does not appear to be objectionable the Govt of India may be applied to for the necessary sanction to transfer the 37 prisoners to the Madras

For original
see file N 389
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19A.

19TH JULY 1884, No. 1778, JUDICIAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

From Major H. WYLIE, C.S.I., Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Bangalore, 7th July 1884, No. 803-414.

I have the honor, by desire of the Resident, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 1204, Judicial, dated the 15th May 1884, on the subject of the transfer of prisoners, sentenced by courts in the civil and military station of Bangalore, to jails in the Madras Presidency.

2. As to the number of convicts, male and female, thus to be transferred, for whom accommodation will be required, I am to say that during the last 3 years the average daily number in the Mysore Central Jail at Bangalore of civil and military station prisoners sentenced to over one year has been 42, of whom 41 were native adults and one was a juvenile. Mr. Lyall is of opinion that when the system of imprisoning in Madras Jails all over one year convicts comes into full operation, the average for which accommodation will be required will probably be from 35 to 40 males and 2 females.

3. Judging from the experience of the past 3 years there are likely to be very few cases of European or East Indian convicts sentenced to more than one year's imprisonment. When such cases occur, the officer in charge of the Bangalore Jail can be directed to make a special report to the Inspector-General of Jails, Madras.

4. There are at present in the Bangalore Central Jail 37 prisoners from the civil and military station whose term of imprisonment will not have expired by the 31st December next. Mr. Lyall is of opinion that it would be advisable to transfer these men to Madras Jails as soon as arrangement can be conveniently made by the Inspector-General of Prisons for their reception. A list of the prisoners in question, showing the nature of crime, date and period of sentence and date of release, is enclosed, for the information of the Jail authorities.

5. With reference to paragraph 4 of Colonel Tennant's letter, No. 134, of the 2nd May last, copy of which accompanied your letter under reply, I am desired to state that the Civil and Sessions Judge of the station will be instructed to furnish the Inspector-General of Prisons, Madras, from the 1st of August next, with a monthly return of convicts awaiting transfer to Madras. Prisoners sentenced to transportation will be included in this return, and it will be left to the Jail Committee of the Madras Jail, to which they are sent, to decide whether they are fit to be sent to the Andamans.

6. Mr. Lyall is personally in favor of Colonel Tennant's suggestion that the Inspector-General of Jails, Madras, should be also Inspector-General for the Bangalore Jail, but before the arrangement could be made, he would have to submit it for approval to the Government of India. He does not think that Government would approve of the arrangement if it involved any additional charge for inspection. It would not, of course, be possible that the Bangalore Jail should count as a Madras Jail, the returns and report would be submitted by the officer in charge to the Inspector-General, who would send on to the Resident those which have to be sent on. In any matter requiring by rule the orders of Government, the Inspector-General would have to report to the Resident who has the powers of a local Government in the civil and military station of Bangalore.

ENCLOSURE.

STATEMENT showing the number of convicted prisoners now in jail from Civil and Military Station Courts, whose sentence of over one year will not have expired by the 31st December 1884.

Number.	Register number.	Name.	Age.	Crime.	Sentence.		Date of release.
					Date.	Term.	
						Yrs. M. D.	
1	5399	Shaik Fareed	28	Theft and old offender ..	17th June 1881.	6 0 0	17th June 1887.
2	5467	Moonisawmy	31	House-breaking and theft and old offender.	15th Aug. ,,	5 0 0	15th Aug. 1886.
3	5520	Govindaraj	16	Theft in a building and old offender.	29th Sept. ,,	4 0 0	29th Sept. 1885.
4	5592	Armogam	20	Theft and old offender ..	25th Nov. ,,	4 0 0	25th Nov. ,,
5	5622	Sholay	30	House-breaking and theft.	15th Dec. ,,	7 0 0	15th Dec. 1888.
6	5653	Abdul Khader	30	Theft and old offender ..	14th Jan. 1882.	5 0 0	14th Jan. 1887.
7	5654	Joseph Magail	27	Do. ..	Do. ,,	5 0 0	Do. do.
8	5684	Bora	28	Do. ..	15th Feb. ,,	3 0 0	15th Feb. 1885.
9	5870	Mooni Timmok ..	35	Do. ..	26th Aug. ,,	5 0 0	26th Aug. 1887.
10	5878	Coopsawmy	23	Theft	2nd Sept. ,,	3 0 0	2nd Sept. 1885.
11	5887	Govindarajoo	28	Theft and old offender ..	12th ,, ,,	3 0 0	12th ,, ,,
12	5961	James Williams ..	26	Rape	15th Nov. ,,	4 0 0	15th Nov. 1886.
13	5962	Veerunnah	20	Attempt at rape	16th ,, ,,	5 0 0	16th ,, 1887.
14	6004	Oopacarum	31	Theft and old offender ..	9th Jan. 1883.	2 0 0	9th Jan. 1885.
15	6007	Frances	23	Theft in a building ..	15th Jan. ,,	2 3 0	15th April ,,
16	6018	Moonisamy	17	Theft and old offender ..	26th ,, ,,	2 0 0	26th Jan. ,,
17	6020	Viswasum	30	Receiving stolen property.	1st Feb. ,,	2 0 0	1st Feb. ,,
18	6030	Venkatsamy	30	House-breaking and theft and old offender.	15th ,, ,,	5 0 0	15th ,, 1888.
19	6181	Kalanday	23	Do. do. ..	15th March ,,	7 0 0	15th March 1890.
20	6222	Govindarajoo	25	Theft and old offender ..	11th May ,,	2 0 0	11th May 1885.
21	6247	Mariyan	40	Murder	23rd June ,,	Transportation for life.	
22	6320	Sundyow	29	Bigamy	16th Aug. ,,	2 6 0	16th Feb. 1886.
23	6356	Irachary	22	House-breaking and theft.	18th Sept. ,,	3 0 0	18th Sept. ,,
24	6373	Devasagayam	26	Theft in a dwelling ..	3rd Oct. ,,	2 0 0	3rd Oct. 1885.
25	6410	Rajoo	22	Theft and old offender ..	15th Nov. ,,	3 0 0	15th Nov. 1886.
26	6433	Mooga	30	Do. do. ..	14th Dec. ,,	2 0 0	14th Dec. 1885.
27	6436	Rungiah	16	House-breaking and theft.	21st ,, ,,	2 0 0	21st ,, ,,
28	6437	Ram Bhadrah	25	Do. do. ..	Do. ,,	2 0 0	Do. ,,
29	6449	Hanumuntha	19	Do. do. ..	7th Jan. 1884.	2 0 0	7th Jan. 1886.
30	6476	Ramah	19	Administering stupefying drug.	15th Feb. ,,	5 0 0	15th Feb. 1889.
31	6512	Narayani	14	Theft and old offender ..	31st March ,,	2 0 0	31st Mar. 1886.
32	6542	Shaik Hyder	20	Do. do. ..	28th April ,,	1 3 0	28th July 1885.
33	6544	Syed Mohdeen	26	Criminal misappropriation.	29th ,, ,,	2 0 0	29th Apr. 1886.
34	6549	Mooni Reddy	27	House-breaking and theft.	5th May ,,	1 3 0	5th Aug. 1885.
35	6551	Sid Rungah	25	Theft and old offender ..	6th ,, ,,	2 0 0	6th May 1886.
36	6577	Syed Abul Khader ..	34	House-breaking and theft.	30th ,, ,,	2 0 0	30th ,, ,,
37	6581	Chowtian	36	Bad character	5th June ,,	2 0 0	5th June 1886.

BANGALORE,
24*th June* 1884.

(Signed) J. HENDERSON,
Supt., Central Jail.

ORDER—dated 19th July 1884, No. 1778, Judicial.

Communicated to the Inspector-General of Jails, who will arrange for the reception of the convicts mentioned in the enclosed list into the Madras Jails. The Inspector General should for this purpose place himself in communication with the Resident Mysore.

(True Extract.)

E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Jails.
,, Resident, Mysore, with C.L.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1884} Madras.

JUDICIAL.

Issued

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 19th July 1884, No. 1778.

JULY.

Bangalore Prisoners.

Communicating, with instructions, to the Inspector-General of Jails, letter from the Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, regarding the transfer of prisoners, sentenced by courts in the civil and military station of Bangalore, to jails in the Madras Presidency.

No 1112/583

Office of the Resident in Mysore,
Bangalore, 20th August 1884.

To,

The Inspector General of
Jails,
Madras.

Sir,

I am desired to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 3441 dy 8th ~~August~~ September 1884, and in reply to state that the Resident considers the order of the Govt. of India, as conveyed in para 5 of their letter No. 913 I., dy 12th March 1884, is sufficient sanction to the transfer of the C. & M. Station prisoners now in the Central Jail, Bangalore, to Jails in the Madras Presidency.

2. In the above letter the Resident is directed to terminate, as soon as possible, the system of keeping the Civil and Military Station prisoners in the Mysore

C161.

1884 No 583

To The Inspector General
of Jails
Madras

Dated 20 August
Desp a

No 1112
583

Regarding the transfer
Bangalore Prisons
Madras Jails.

Transmn No 3692 dt 25-8-84

Office of the Resident in Mysore
Bangalore 21st August 1884

To

The Secretary to the Govt of India
Foreign Department

Sir

With reference to para 2 of your letter No 913, S. dated 12th March last, sanctioning the payment of Rs 8790-2-2. on account of the prisoners convicted by the British Courts in the Civil and Mily. Station of Bangalore I have the honor to forward copies of two statements received from the Mysore Durbar showing the cost of the prisoners up to the 31st Dec. 1883, appre-=ciating Rs 6374-14-7. and to solicit the sanction of the Government of India to the payment of the above sum to the Durbar from the Surplus Revenues of the Assigned Tracts for the Official Year ending 31st March 1884.-

I further beg to call attention to my letter No. 1918/306 of the 9th December 1883 with which a bill for Rs 941-8-11, being the cost of Military prisoners confined in the Central Jail of Bangalore up to the 30th Septr. 1883 was forwarded to you and to request that the payment of this sum may also be sanctioned.-

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Yours &c.

M.

Resident.

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To

India Foreign

Simla

Dy 21st August

Desp 22.

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No. 1137
163

Sir, With reference to my despatch No. 1137 dated 21st August 1884 forwarding for sanction, two statements received from the Superintendent Andaman aggregating Rs. 6374-14- being the cost of maintenance at the Central Jail Viz. Port Blair up to 31st December 1883 of the prisoners sentenced by the British Courts in the Straits Settlements & Burmah.

No. 3692. Ootacamund, 25th August 1884

From

H. R. Grimes Esq:
Inspector General of Jails.

To

The Assistant to the
Resident in Mysore.
Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 20th Instant — No. 1112/583 and in reply I beg to state I am quite willing to accept the Residents' views as regards the legality of the transfer of the Civil and Military Station prisoners in the Mysore Government Jails, and to request that the Superintendent of the Central Jail at Bangalore be directed to transfer Convicts Nos 5961, James Williams and 6247 Mariyan to H.M's. Penitentiary at Madras and to transfer the remaining thirty five prisoners to the Central Jail at Coimbatore, and that

that he be further directed to communicate direct with the respective officers in charge of those Jails, informing them on what dates he proposes to despatch the prisoners and giving full particulars regarding their antecedents in the Jail under his charge.

2. According to the rules in this Presidency, when convicts are transferred from one jail to another, the receiving jail has to return the clothing of the convicts to the Jail from whence they have been transferred. I propose this rule shall be adopted in this instance.

3. As presumed in para 5 of the late Inspector General of Jails' letter to the Chief Secretary to this Government dated 2d May last. No 134 I infer that the Government of India defray all expenses for the maintenance of prisoners sentenced by Courts in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore and their transfer to the Jails in this Presidency -

I

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Henry Gripper.
Inspector General of Jails.

From

The Inspector General
of Jails.
Madras.

To

The Asst Resident
in Mysore
Bangalore

Dated 25th
Received } August 1870.

No. 3692

Regarding Transfer
of Bangalore Prisoners
to Madras Jails—

1884

OFFICE OF THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.
27 AUG 84

From The Inspector of Jails Madras

To

Dated 25th August 1884

Despatched

Received 27th

Enclosures No.

No. 3692

Regarding the transfer of Bangalore Prisoners to Madras Jails.

N 1197.
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28-8-84.

To

The Governor

Sir,

Arrangements having been completed with the Inspector Genl. for the transfer to Jails in Great Britain of many of the Prisoners sentenced hereafter by Courts in the C. of L. S. to some Term of Penal Imprisonment, and also for the transfer of such prisoners now in the Central Jail of Bengal - one whose sentence of two years will not become expired by the 31st Dec. 1884. I have the honor by direction of the Resident to request you will kindly send us the Warrant that the Supt. of the Central Jail to transfer convicts No 59 & James Williams and 6247 Shaik Jan to H. M's Penitentiary

at Madras and to Trans-
-fer the remaining thirty
five prisoners enumerated in
the accompanying
list to the Central Jail
at Trichinopoly. If the
Durban Home Office
Commissioners may
be further directed to
communicate direct
with the respective
Officers in charge of
the above Jails - informa-
-tion as to whether
Natives be proposed to
Repatriate the Prisoners
and giving full particu-
-lars regarding their
antecedents in the Jail
under his charge. X

2 I am to add that as
regards the Andaman
Prisoners, Provisional
Warrants are being
forwarded from our Jail to
Port Blair, the receiving Jail
has to return the certificate
of the Convicts to the Jail

from whence they have been transferred. The Inspector Genl. of Jails Madras proposes that this rule should be adopted in those Presidency.

The Dist. Magistrate C. & M. D. has been directed to give the Superintendent of the Central Jail necessary assistance required in [redacted] forwarding the Prisoners to their destinations.

Please do the needful

Dated 1198
628

Copy of the Inspector's letter with the Proceedings before 3

Ld Hy.

1884 [redacted] 6

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To The Dewan [redacted]

Mysore

District Magistrate &c &c

Dated 28 August

Recd 29.

No. 1198/628

1196 Encl 1

Regarding transfer of prisoners to the Jails in the Madras Presidency

No. 3681 I.

From

The Secretary to the
Government of India,

To

The Resident in Mysore.

Dated Simla, the 1st Oct. 1884.

Foreign Deptt.
Internal } Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 1137/163 dated the 21st August, 1884, requesting sanction to the payment (1) of Rs. 6,374-14-7 on account of the maintenance of prisoners convicted by the British Courts in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore up to the 31st December 1883, and (2) of Rs. 941-8-11 being the cost of Military prisoners confined in the Central Jail of Bangalore up to the 30th Sept. 1883.

2. In reply I am to say that the Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction both these amounts as a charge against the revenues of the Assigned Tract.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

C. Grant
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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OFFICE OF THE
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RESIDENT IN MYSORE

From

Lieut. Foreegro

Dated 1st October 84.

Received 8: ——— ———

No. 3681 I

Sanctioning to the payment of Rs: 6374.14.1 on account of the maintenance of prisoners committed by the British Courts in the Coorg State of Bangalore up to 31st December 1883, and of G.G. 441 - 8.11.84 limiting the cost of Military Prisoners confined in the Central Jail of Bangalore up to the 30th September 1884.

Copy to Resident in Coorg

a/c... Ch. 8/12/26

Dr: Henderson's D.O.

I think the communication should be through this office, but the Registrar can forward such letters to Inspector General without referring to Resident or Asst: Resident if no reason for referring seems apparent one a month will do. As to juveniles how are they dealt with in Madras, is there any Reformatory and if so what are the rules. As to class of boy prisoners to be sent there. We may consult Inspector General as to Dr: Henderson's question regarding juveniles & women. My present idea is that women might best stay here if not sentenced to more than three years, and boys also unless there is a reformatory to which boys sentenced to more than one year might advantageously be sent.

As to Court Martial Prisoners please address Military authorities explaining how question stands and say I agree with Dr. Henderson in thinking that these prisoners ought not to

Dr: Henderson has been writing to D.O. begging to be allowed to communicate through this office & that Inspector General of Prisons and Registrar have been referring to Madras and about 15 Court Martial prisoners & Military prisoners will be shortly sent. (Cd) Hsc. 14/8.

be sent in future to Mysore Jails.
What do Military authorities wish.
Shall they be sent to Madras Jails
till a Civil & Military Station Jail
is constructed, or shall Mysore be
asked to take them till then. If there
are any reasons for not sending Court
Martial prisoners to a Madras Jail
I will ask Darbar to allow its Jail
to be used till ours is built.

(Init'd) J. B. L.
13. 10. 84.

Dr. Henderson to Dr. Wu re Tientsin - Peking Railway loan negotiations. Has been written to Dr. Wu's advisers. Will be referred to Chinese Legation, Washington. Will be discussed with Mr. Alvey.

Dr Henderson

Thanks for communication which thereupon this Min, with the Regrets can undertake Investment letter Mr Yen intimating & Reading a aft Results in reasons In refusing terms advancing a matter with Dr. Ku & Investments known dealt with in Mr. Reformation Administration Tariffs was & Class of Very business to be sanctioned. We may consult. Legation Dr Henderson Secretary regarding Investments & women. Very Important idea is that best might stay here if not sentenced to more than three years, and

White Official Mr

boys also under them
is a reformatory to
which boys sentenced to
more than 7 years
might advantageously
be sent.

As to Court Martial
Prisoners please address
Mil authorities explaining how question stands & my Govt
with Dr H in thinking that
Thus Prisoners
ought not to be sent
in future to Mysore
Jails. What do Mil
authorities wish. Must
they be sent to Mad
Jail but a C.M.S
Jail is constructed, or
shall Mysore be asked
to take them with them.
When are our reasons for
not sending Court Martial
Prisoners to a Madras
Jail but to a Mysore Jail

With Friendly Hrs

M. 13/10/15

B.O

Central Jail
Oct 10. 82.

My dear Wylie

We have despatched ~~two~~ batches of Cantonment Convicts to Madras Jails.

Please let me know, if in future when Convicts are ready to go, I am to communicate direct with the Inspector Genl of Madras Prisons & ask him where & when they may be sent = or through

A Monthly once is monthly should do — personally.

the "Resistency" Also I
~~should~~ wants to know about
Juveniles, & women, are
they to be deported, or
kept here - ?
Also concerning Court
martial Prisoners. I
think arrangements should
be made to send them away
to Dublin at once.
They should never come
here at all - I suggest
you should address the
Military authorities on the
Subject -

I think we have rather
begun at the wrong end.
My notion is that what
is most urgently wanted for the
Cantonment is
1. a Lock Up. for incendiaries
2. A place of incarceration
for Europeans & East Indians
3. Civil Prisoners —
It does not so much matter
what becomes of the ordinary
native convict once he is
sentenced & if the Mysore
Jails are to be used at all,
we might as well have had
the punishment that were most useful

I do not know if anything has been done about a small Dai's or Look up for the Cantonment. if not, I should suggest that you apply to Calcutta or Madras for a Standard Man of a "Dug", such as is required

I do not know that I have any opinions to suggest anything, but I hope there is no harm—

Very sincerely
L. Henderson

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Office of Resident in Mysore
Bangalore 11th October 1884

To The Dewan of Mysore

Sir,

With reference to your Secretary's letter No 2326 dt. 98 15th July last I am directed to state that the Govt of India have sanctioned /1/ the payment of Rs 6374. 14. 7. on account of the maintenance of prisoners convicted by the British Courts in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore up to the 31st Dec 1883 and /2/ of Rs 941-8-11 being the cost of Sicily prisoners confined in the Central jail of Bangalore up to the 30th September 1883 as per statement forwarded with your Office letter No 4575 dated 27th Nov 1882. 210

The above amounts are to be credited to the Durbar in account from the Revenues of the Mysore track for the Official Year Ending 31st March 1884 at present in their Treasury.—

I have &c

HW

Asst Resident

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From

The Assistant to the Resident
in Mysore.

To Hee Dewan of Mysore

Dated 11 October

Despatched 13

Received

Enclosures No.

Gneral No. 1426
No. 232 A

Intimating the sanction of
the Govt of India
the maintenance of Prisoners
Convicted by the British Courts
in the C and Military station Bangh
upto 31st December 1883. and the
Cost of Military Prisoners
confined in the Central Jail Bangalore
upto 30 September 1883 -

Jr 1453
759

15 October 1884

To

The Officer Commanding
Bangalore Fort

Sir, I am directed by the Resident to inform you that the G. of I. has ~~sanctioned the~~ ~~building of a Central Jail~~ ordered the construction of a District Jail within the Civil Station for the reception of Prisoners "under trial" and of Convicts sentenced by the Courts of the C & the S. to imprisonment for 12 months and upwards and ~~for~~ have further ordered the transfer from the Central Jail at Bangalore to Jails in the Madras Presidency of all persons sentenced by such Courts to more than one Years imprisonment.

2. The necessary steps have been taken by the Resident to carry out the above orders, but the Directions have issued as to the disposal of Prisoners

+(which is under the control of the Mysore Govt.)

sentenced to imprisonment by Courts Martial. Having fully considered the opinion expressed by Mr Anderson the Keeper of the Central Jail at Bangalore that Military Prisoners confined in future to be kept in Bangalore Jails. but Mr. Lyall and with this opinion H. Resident concurs
invited attn to Para
of that the number of the Military Confined in Civil Prisoners may be kept in Madras Jails till a C & M.S. Jail is constructed or whether the Govt should Keep one be invited to take charge of them till then.

3 If there are any Convicts Military Court Martial Prisoners from Bangalore to a Madras Jail, the Resident will be

the Dunbar is about as
fast to be used like
the one for the Clyde's
is built.

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R.V.
Asst Naval C.

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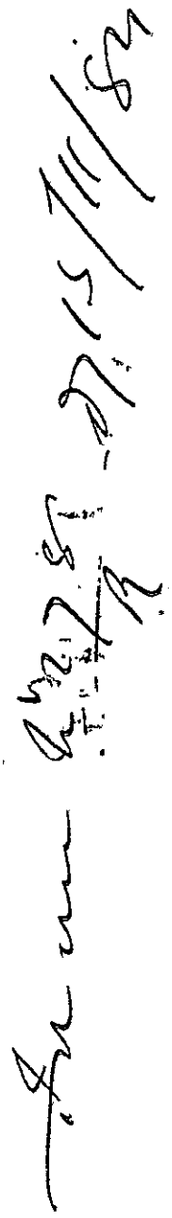
To
The Officer Commanding
Bangalore

Dated 15 October
Recd 16

No 1453
759



N. 1488
279.

20 Gennaio 1884

To

The Insp: General of Jails
Madras.

Sir

Adverting to the correspondence ending with your No. 3692 of the 25 August last I have the honour to state that the Superintendent of the Central Jail at Vellore having recommended the retention as to whether Women & Juveniles sentenced to imprisonment by Courts in the C. & M. D. of Bangalore are to be sent to Jails in the Madras Presidency, or to be kept here. The Resident has obtained me to consult you on the subject.

Mr Lyall is of opinion that Women convicted here should serve their sentences in Vellore Prison and boys also until a reformatory

has been established
to which boys entitled
to more than one year
must be over sixteen years
of age.

The Board, I am
to add, would like
to be informed with your
views in the matter.

I am Sir
Your Obt Servt

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In the Executive Council
of Ceylon.

Minute

Dated 20th October

No. 1486
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Regarding the transfer of
Convicted Prisoners
by Ceylon to the Straits
Settlements & the Jails to the
Madras Presidency.

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Bangalore Central Jail,
Superintendent's Office.

From
The Superintendent,
Central Jail, Bangalore.

OFFICE OF THE
SUPERINTENDENT
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To
The Assistant Resident
in Mysore

Dated 24th
Despatched 25th October/84
Received

Enclosures No. 1

No. C162.

Subject.

Has the honor to forward a List of Convicts of the Civil & Military Station, available for transfer to Madras Jails, and to request instructions regarding them.-

L. Stevenson
Superintendent.

No 1523
799
Office of the Resident in Mysore
28th October 1844

To

The Inspector General
of Jails
Madras

Sir

Adverting to the Correspondence
ending with your letter No. 3692
of the 25th August last, I am
directed to forward herewith
a statement received from
the Superintendent of the Central
Jail at Bangalore showing the
number of Convicts sentenced
by the Courts in the Mysore Station
of Bangalore, who are ready
for transfer to Madras Jails.
I am to request that you will
be so good as to inform the
Resident to which Jail they
should be sent.

I have &c

[signature]
Asst to the Resi

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From

To The Inspector General of Jails
Madras

Dated 28 October

Despatched 29

Received

Enclosures ~~No.~~

General No. 1523

No. 779

28 — 11 — 1884 Answer to

Draft.

No 4858

Cuddapah 2nd November 1884

From

The Inspector General of Jails

Madras

To The Assistant to the

Resident in Mysore

Sir

In reply to your No 1523/799 dated 28th ultimo forwarding a statement showing the number of convicts in the Civil & Military stations of Bangalore who are ready for transfer to Madras Jails. I have the honor to request the Resident will direct the Superintendent of the Central Jail at Bangalore to transfer them to the Central Jail at Vellore and that due notice of the date of their transfer may be sent to the Superintendent

at Vellore

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most Obedient Servant

Henry Rayner

Inspector General of Jails

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OFFICE OF THE
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RESIDENT IN MY

From
The Inspector General
of Civil
Madras

No. 1560/823

Dated 2nd November 1884

Received 4: — — —

No-4858

With reference to this
office No. 1523/799 dated 28:
Elliots, request to direct
the Supdt of the Central
Jail at Bangalore
to transfer the Prisoners
to the Central Jail
at Vellore.

To the Jail Supdt

№ 1660.
826.

Office of the Resident in Mysore
Bangalore, 4th November

To

The Superintendent
of the Central Jail
at Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your docket № 662 dated 24th October 1826, I am directed to forward the accompanying copy of letter № 4858 of the 2d instant from the Inspector General of Jails Madras, and to request that the Convicts therein referred to, may be transferred to the Central Jail at Vellore. Due notice of the date of transfer should be given to the Supt of that Jail.

I have, &c.

P. H. J.

Asst to the Resid

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From

P. 826.

To The Supte of the Central Jail
at Bangalore

Dated 4th
Despatched 6th Unregistered

Received

Enclosures No. 1

General No. 1560
No. 826.

Supte

No 278
A.

Head Quarters.
Bangalore Division
Bangalore; 15th November 1884.

From

Major General Hugh Rowlands.
V.C. C.B.,
Commanding Bangalore Division

To

The Assistant to the
Resident in Mysore.

Sir,

S.P. 28

In reply to your Letter No. 1453A/759 dated 15th October, 1884, I have the honor to inform you that His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is of opinion that Court-martial prisoners who are undergoing imprisonment in the Central Jail at Bangalore should be transferred to jails in the Madras Presidency, and a Government have been addressed in view to their removal.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your most obedient Servant
Hugh Rowlands Major General
Commanding Bangalore Division

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From

The Officer Commanding

Bangalore Division

Dated 15th November 1884

Received 17th —

No 278

R

With reference to this office No 1453 R 759 dated 15th October 1884 intimating that Convicted Political Prisoners who are undergoing imprisonment in the Central Jail at Bangalore should be transferred to Jails in the Madras Presidency —

I am directed to forward herewith the C.M. Prisoners whom you can forward to the Inspector General of Jails as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made for their transfer.

I have the honor to be Sir

Your most obedient Servant

for Lieut Colonel

Commanding Bangalore Division

Lieut Col de Mesquita

Bangalore

Sir

I have the honor by this time received orders of Madras authorizing him to take over all Court Martial Prisoners without regard to term.

5/12/84

Bang Col de Mesquita

Govt. as pleased on Jail Doctrine Ref. Must please and him urgent reminder

C162

1884.

From

To The Superintendent
of the Central Jail
at Bangalore

Dated 13 December.

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 1796

No. 950

Has the honor to request that he will be so good as to furnish a statement showing the number of prisoners sentenced by Courts Martial who are at present undergoing sentence of imprisonment in the Bangalore Central Jail.

Asst to the Resident

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Bangalore Central Jail,
Superintendent's Office
Dated 10th Dec

From

The Superintendent,
Central Jail, Bangalore.

To The Assistant to the
Resident in Mysore
Bangalore

Dated 10th
Despatched do:-
Received
December/84

Enclosures No. 1

No. 754
J.

Subject,

His docket No. 1796
dated 6th instant. 950

As requested in the above, has the honor to forward a Statement shewing the number of prisoners Sentenced by Courts Martial, who and are at present undergoing imprisonment

:tonment in the Bungalow
Central Jail.—

J. Stevenson.
Superintendent
Central Jail

- Statement Showing the number of prisoners Sentenced by Courts Martial, and at present undergoing imprisonment in the Bangalore Central Jail.-

Serial No.	Register No.	Name.-	Sentenced Date	Term.-			Belonging to what Regiment.-	Remarks.-
				Yrs.	M.	D.		
1.	6490.	Dyasamy.	29th February 1884	1	"	"	1 Queens Own Sappers & Miners.	2 -
2.	6661	Hafsan Navaz Khan.	30th July 1884	"	6	"	15th Regiment M. N.I.	1 -
3.	6662	Abdul Wahab.	do: do:	"	6	"	do: do:	1 -
4.	6672	Mahomed Sillémon.	6th August 1884	"	6	"	14th Regiment M. N.I.	
5.	6686.	Shaik Hussain alias Shaik Hyder	23d do:	1	"	"	1st Lt. Cavalry.	
6.	6688	Abdul Azeez.	25th do:	"	6	"	14th Regiment M. N.I.	2 -
7.	6710	Chaboo Miya.	16th September 84	"	4	"	4th Pioneers.	1 -
8.	6794.	Anundaram.	3d December 84	"	3	14	1st Madras Pioneers.	1 -

Central Jail
Superintendent's Office
Bangalore 10th December 84.

J. Henderson
Superintendent
Central Jail.

Ootacammd

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF JAILS,
13th December 1884.

No. 5692

From

HENRY R. GRIMES, Esq.,

Inspector-General of Jails,
Ootacammd

To

THE Assistant to the
Resident in Mysore
Bangalore

SIR,

Enclosures.

In reply to your No. 1818/961 dated 10th Instt. forwarding statement received from the Superintendent Central Jail, Bangalore of convicts sentenced by Courts in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore awaiting transfer to Jails in this Presidency I have the honor to inform the Resident I am prepared to receive the four convicts named in the Statement, in the Central Jail at Vellore, and to request

that

that he will direct the Superintendent of the Central Jail at Bangalore to send them to that Jail giving due intimation to the Superintendent at Vellore of the date of their arrival -

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obt. Servt
Henry D. Grimes.
Inspector General of Jails

From

The Inspector-General of Jails.

To Postscammed

The ~~Assistant to the~~ Resident in Mysore

Bangalore

Dated 15th December 1884.

Received

No.

Enclosure.

~~As Requ~~ to send the four convicts named in the Statement to Vellore Central Jail

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From No. 1008. 1884.

OFFICE OF THE
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RESIDENT IN MY:

~~The Assistant to the Resident in Mysore.~~

To The Inspector General of Jails Calicummund

Dated 18th December 1884
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Received 20

Enclosures No.

Gneral No. 5692
No.

In reply to this office
No. 1818 dated 10th instant
961
intimating that he is
prepared to receive the
four Convicts named
in the statement in the
Central Jail at Vellore.

No. 1911/1008. dy 23/12/84

Copy to Supdt. Central
Jail, Bangalore, for
information & guidance

Sd/ H. Wylie
Offg Resident.

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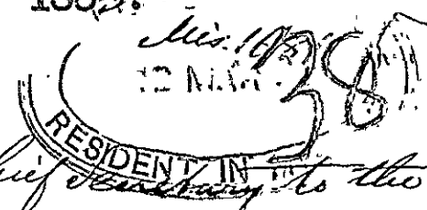
From



The Chief Secretary to the
Govt of Madras
Judicial Depart.

To

Dated 11th
Despatched
Received 12th
March 1885.

Enclosures No.
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No 659 Jud

With reference to this office No 803 dated 4/14 July last forwards certain papers relative to the transfer to Jails in that Presidency of Natives of India who have been sentenced to imprisonment in the Bangalore Jail and requests that the Govt of India may be moved to cause their transfer should any legal disability prevent Resident doing so -

Assistant.
Please note this case stands, and whether Govt can order the transfer. Noted
16/3

Note dated
4th 13/5/85

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It is requested that the following department and number may be quoted in the reply to this letter:

Judicial No. 659 Jail

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Chief Secretary's Office.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 11th March 1885.

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H and Rt. 11.16

SIR,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter of the 7th July last, No. 803/414, I am directed to forward the papers* marginally noted relative to the transfer to Jails in this Presidency of native soldiers sentenced to imprisonment by Courts-martial and undergoing imprisonment in the Bangalore jail. It will be observed that the Government have instructed the Inspector General of Jails to receive them and that His Excellency the Commander in Chief declares himself unable to direct their removal as the men are at present confined in a jail not subject to Military control and have been struck off the strength

*G.O. 26th January 1885, No. 204
End. from Supt. 27th Feb. 1885 No. 1069

To

The Resident in
Mysore.

strength of the Army. In these circum=
=stances I am to request that the
Government of India may be moved
to cause their transfer should any
legal disability prevent your doing so
yourself.

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

R. W. Benson

for Chief Secretary.

[illegible]

Letter from the Adjutant-General to the Secretary to Government Military Department, dated Ootacamund, the 25th February 1885; No. 387.

Referring to Proceedings of Government No. 581 of the 3rd February 1885, — I am directed to observe that, paragraph 2 of Order of Government No. 204 "Judicial" dated 26th ultimo, therewith communicated, seems to contemplate that, orders for the removal of the Court-Martial prisoners therein referred to from the central Jail at Bangalore, should be issued by the Commander-in-Chief.

With reference to this, I am to say that, as the men are at present confined in a Jail which is not subject to Military control, and further having been struck off the strength of the Army, His Excellency is not empowered under the 152nd Indian Articles of War to pass orders for their removal from that Jail to another place of confinement.

Transferred

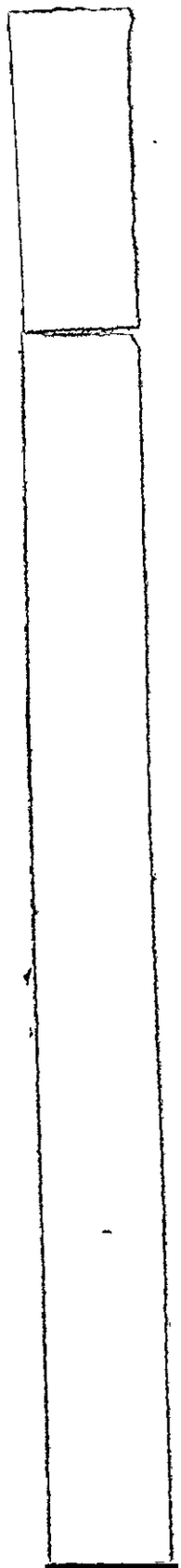
No. 1069

Transferred to the Judicial Department.

(By Order)

Adj't Henry Herbert
Lt. Col
Off'g Surg'n Fort

Fort St. George
27th Febry 1885



GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper :—

G.O., dated 3rd December 1884, Mis. No. 3166, Judicial.

Read—the following letter from Brigadier-General GODFREY CLERK, Adjutant-General, to the Secretary to Government, Military department, dated Ootacamund, 11th November 1884, No. N.A.—Discipline, 1205 :—

I am directed by the Commander-in-Chief to forward the papers noted in the margin, and with reference thereto, I am to state, for the information of Government, that the General Officer Commanding Bangalore division has been informed that His Excellency wishes that native soldiers who may hereafter be sentenced to imprisonment, with hard labor, by courts-martial, should be sent to jails in the Madras Presidency.

Copy of letter, No. 252-A, dated 29th October 1884, from the General Officer Commanding Bangalore division.

Copy of letter, No. 1453-A—759, dated 15th October 1884, from the Assistant to the Resident, Mysore, to General Officer Commanding Bangalore division.

2. With regard to those prisoners, however, who are now undergoing imprisonment in the central jail at Bangalore, I am to request, with reference to the 153rd Indian Articles of War (Act V of 1869), that Government may be moved to cause their transfer to jails in the Madras Presidency if this has not already been ordered by the Government of India.

ENCLOSURES.

From Major-General HUGH ROLANDS, V.C., C.B., Commanding Bangalore Division, to the Adjutant-General, Ootacamund, dated Bangalore, 29th October 1884, No. N.A.—Prisoners, 252-A.

I have the honor to enclose copy of letter, No. 1453-A—759, dated 15th October 1884, from the Assistant to the Resident in Mysore in which he informs—

I. That the Government of India have sanctioned the construction of a district jail within the assigned tract for the reception of prisoners under trial, and of convicts sentenced by the courts of the civil and military station to imprisonment for twelve months and under, and have further ordered the transfer from the central jail at Bangalore to jails in the Madras Presidency of all prisoners sentenced by such courts to more than one year's imprisonment.

II. That steps have been taken by the Resident to carry out the above orders, but that the question now arises as to the disposal of prisoners sentenced to imprisonment by courts-martial, and that the opinion of the superintendent of the central jail at Bangalore is, that military prisoners ought not in future to be sent to Mysore jails, with which opinion the Resident concurs, but would like to know the wishes of the military authorities on the matter, and whether they consider that court-martial prisoners may be sent to Madras jails till a civil and military station jail is constructed, or whether the Mysore Government should be asked to take charge of them till then.

III. That, if there are any reasons against sending court-martial prisoners from Bangalore to Madras jails, the Resident would ask the durbar to allow its jail to be used till one for the civil and military station is built.

2. I beg to submit the question for the consideration and orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

3. The number of court-martial prisoners at present undergoing sentence in the central jail, Bangalore, is nine. These prisoners belong to native corps quartered in the station.

From H. WYLIE, Esq., Assistant to the Resident, Mysore, to the Officer Commanding Bangalore division, dated Bangalore, 15th October 1884, No. 1453-A—759.

I am directed by the Resident to inform you that the Government of India have ordered the construction of a district jail within the assigned tract for the reception of prisoners "under trial" and of convicts sentenced by the courts of the civil and military station to imprisonment for twelve months and under, and have further ordered the transfer from the central jail at Bangalore, which is under the control of the Mysore Government, to jails in the Madras Presidency of all prisoners sentenced by such courts to more than one year's imprisonment.

2. The necessary steps have been taken by the Resident to carry out the above orders, but the question now arises as to the disposal of prisoners sentenced to imprisonment by courts-martial. The opinion of Dr. Henderson, the superintendent of the central jail at Bangalore, is that military prisoners ought not in future to be sent to Mysore jails, and with this opinion the Resident concurs; but Mr. Lyall would like to know what the wishes of the military authorities are in this matter, and whether they consider that court-martial prisoners may be sent to Madras jails till a civil and military jail is constructed, or whether the Mysore Government should be asked to take charge of them till then.

3. If there are any reasons against sending court-martial prisoners from Bangalore to a Madras jail, the Resident will ask the durbar to allow its jail to be used till the one for the civil and military station is built.

No. 5692.

Transferred to the Judicial department.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
17*th November* 1884.

(Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lt.-Col.,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.

Order—dated 3rd December 1884, Mis. No. 3166, Judicial.

The papers referred with the foregoing will be forwarded to the Inspector-General of Jails, for early remarks.

2. The Military department will be requested to forward a nominal list of the prisoners proposed to be transferred to jails in Madras, information being also afforded as to the nature of the crime, the duration of sentence and date of release.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Jails, with original papers.
„ Military department.

READ—also the following paper:—

G.O., dated 12th January 1885, No. 183, Military.

Read—the following letter from the Adjutant-General, dated 9th January 1885, No. N. A.—Discipline—55:—

In returning your reference memorandum, No. 6084, of the 6th December last, I am directed to forward, herewith, for the information of Government, a nominal roll, with particulars, of prisoners at present undergoing imprisonment in the central jail at Bangalore, received from the General Officer Commanding Bangalore Division.

ENCLOSURE.

NOMINAL ROLL of all Military prisoners at present undergoing imprisonment in the Bangalore Central Jail.

Serial No.	Register No.	Name.	Corps.	Crime.	Sentence.		Date of release.
					Date.	Term.	
						Y. M. D.	
1	6,490	Iyasamy ..	Queen's Own Sappers and Miners.	Breaking his arrest and desertion, &c.	29th Feb. 1884.	1 0 0	28th Feb. 1885.
2	6,661	Hassan Náváz Khán.	15th Regiment, Madras Native Infantry.	Theft and receiving stolen property.	30th July 1884.	0 6 0	30th Jan. do.
3	6,662	Abd-ul-wahâb ..	Do. ..	Do. do. ..	Do. ..	0 6 0	Do. do.
4	6,672	Muhammad Sillémon.	14th Regiment, Madras Native Infantry.	Insubordination to his superior officer.	6th Aug. 1884.	0 6 0	6th Feb. do.
5	6,686	Shaikh Husain *alias* Shaikh Haidar.	1st Light Cavalry.	Desertion, &c. ..	23rd do.	do. 1 0 0	23rd Aug. do.
6	6,688	Abd-ul-azíz ..	14th Regiment, Madras Native Infantry.	Theft	25th do.	do. 0 6 0	25th Feb. do.
7	6,710	Chhábu Miyá ..	4th Pioneers ..	Malingered by complaining of lameness.	16th Sept.	do. 0 4 0	13th Jan. do.
8	6,794	Anundaram ..	1st Madras Pioneers.	Lost neglectly the regimental necessaries.	3rd Dec.	do. 0 3 14	17th Mar. do.

BANGALORE,
15*th December* 1884.

(Signed) J. HENDERSON,
Superintendent, Central Jail.

Order—dated 12th January 1885, No. 183, Military.

The reply of the Adjutant-General communicated to the Judicial department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lt.-Col.,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.

To the Judicial department, with one enclosure in original.

ORDER—dated 26th January 1885, No. 204, Judicial.

The list will be forwarded to the Inspector-General of Jails, in continuation of paragraph 2 of G.O., 3rd December 1884, No. 3166.

2. The Military department will, with reference to the 153rd Indian Articles of War (Act V of 1869), order the transfer of the prisoners in question to jails in this presidency, one-half being sent to Vellore and the other half to Salem.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Military department.
„ Inspector-General of Jails.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1885} Madras.

JUDICIAL.

Issued.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 26th January 1885, No. 204.

JANUARY.

Military Prisoners—Bangalore.

Forwarding to the Inspector-General of Jails, list of prisoners at present undergoing imprisonment in the central jail at Bangalore, and requesting the Military department to order their transfer to jails in this presidency.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper :—

G.O., dated 16th January 1885, Mis. No. 124, Judicial.

Read—the following letter from H. R. GRIMES, Esq., Inspector-General of Jails, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 9th December 1884, No. 359 :—

With reference to the Order of Government, dated 3rd December 1884, Mis. No. 3166, referring, for early remarks, papers regarding native soldiers sentenced to imprisonment by courts-martial in the Bangalore division being sent to jails in this Presidency, I have the honor to remark that I am prepared to receive such prisoners, but I request the orders of Government whether the cost of dieting, clothing, &c., of these prisoners is to be borne by this Government or whether it is to be recovered from the Imperial Government. This question was referred to by the late Inspector-General of Jails in his letter to Government, dated 2nd May 1884, regarding the transfer of prisoners sentenced by British Courts in Bangalore to Madras jails, but no orders have been passed regarding it.

Order—dated 16th January 1885, Mis. No. 124, Judicial.

The Inspector-General's letter will be communicated to the Military department in continuation of G.O., 3rd December 1884, No. 3166, with request that it may be intimated whether that department is prepared to accept the charge for the maintenance of the military prisoners proposed to be transferred from Bangalore.

2. With reference to the question raised by the Inspector-General of Jails at the close of his letter read in G.O., 15th May 1884, No. 1204, the Accountant-General will advise whether the charges on account of the civil prisoners could be made a debit on Imperial funds, as proposed by the Inspector-General.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

To the Military department.
„ Accountant-General.

READ—also the following papers :—

G.O., dated 6th February 1885, No. 674, Military.

Read—the following papers :—

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial department, Mis. No. 124, dated 16th January 1885.

From the Controller of Military Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Military department, dated 5th February 1885, B.

In returning the papers referred under your docket,* I have the honor to state that with reference to the ruling of Government recorded in Proceedings of Government, No. 1750, of 17th April 1882, the proposed debit cannot be accepted in the Military department.

No. 358, of 23rd January 1885, *in re* transfer of native soldiers sentenced to imprisonment in the Bangalore division.

Order—dated 6th February 1885, No. 674, Military.

The reply of the Controller of Military Accounts communicated to the Judicial department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lt.-Col.,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.

To the Judicial department.

From H. F. CLOGSTOUN, Esq., Accountant-General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 16th February 1885, No. 445.

Budget department.

With reference to Proceedings of Government in the Judicial department, Mis. No. 124, dated the 16th January 1885, I have the honor to state that the Inspector-General of Jails might be instructed to submit to this office a quarterly statement of the expenses incurred for the maintenance and carriage of prisoners sentenced by the British Courts in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore to transportation or imprisonment for a term of years, and transferred to the jails of the Madras Presidency. The amount could then, with the sanction of the Government of India, which would not, I assume, be withheld, be adjusted in the books of this Presidency to the credit of Provincial funds by debiting Imperial under the provisions contained in rule 18, chapter 68, of the Civil Account Code.

ORDER—dated 27th February 1885, No. 545, Judicial.

The question raised by the Inspector-General of Jails is whether the Jail department is not entitled to be reimbursed from Imperial funds for the maintenance, clothing and carriage of the military and civil prisoners sentenced by courts in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, and transferred to jails in this Presidency.

2. In regard to the former class of prisoners the opinion of the Controller, Military Accounts, is that the proposed debit cannot be accepted in the Military department. This view was in other words expressed by the Accountant-General in a previous and somewhat similar reference—*vide* his letter read in G.O., dated 13th March 1882, No. 250, to which the Inspector-General is referred.

3. As regards the civil prisoners, the Inspector-General will adopt the suggestion now made by the Accountant-General and submit the quarterly statement indicated in his letter.

4. Copy of these proceedings will be communicated to the Resident in Mysore and to the Government of India.

(True Extract.)

E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Jails.
„ Accountant-General.

ENDORSEMENT—dated 27th February 1885, No. 546, Judicial.

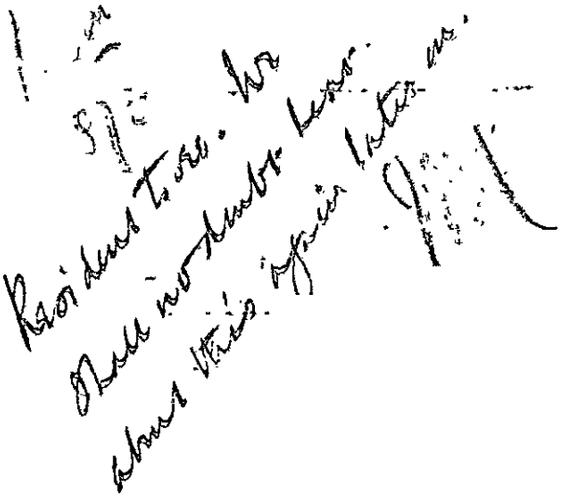
Copy to the Resident in Mysore.

R O Benson
g. Under Secy to Govt.

ENDORSEMENT—dated 27th February 1885, No. 547, Judicial.

Copy to the Government of India, Home department.

E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.



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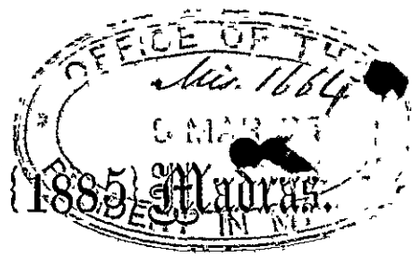


Govt. of Madras, 1885.

JUDICIAL.

Issued

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., &c., 27th February 1885, Nos. 545—547.

FEBRUARY.

Bangalore Prisoners.

Passing orders on the question raised by the Inspector-General of Jails regarding the maintenance, clothing and carriage of the military and civil prisoners sentenced by courts in Bangalore and transferred to jails in this Presidency.

Office of the Dewan of Mysore
Bangalore 23 March 1885

No 7000/323

From

The Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore,

To

The Assistant to the
Resident in Mysore,

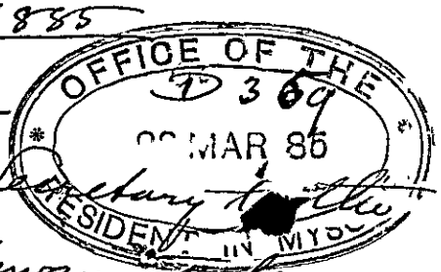
Sir,

With reference to para 3 of your letter No 2192/547 of the 28th March last, I am directed to forward the accompanying two Bills for the cost of maintaining the prisoners of the Civil and Military Station Bangalore in the Central Jail and District Lockup during the year 1884-. A copy of the Superintendent's letter No 102 J. dated 18th February 1885 on the subject is also forwarded.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant

C Raganacharlu
Offg Under Secretary

1885



From
The Secretary to the
Govt of Mysore

Dated 23rd March 86
Received 23rd —"—

15-4-85: No 4600 93/87

No. 1/000
323

With reference to this office No. 2792/547 dated 28th March last forwards 2 bills for the cost of maintaining prisoners of the Civil and Military Station in the Central Jail and Destitute Lock up during the year 1884.

=

The previous bills were forwarded to the Govt of India and sanction applied for for their payment, may these bills be similarly dealt. The date of last sanction is 10th 184 No 3681 C. from Foreign

J.D.
6/4

Draft submitted

JD
13/4

No 2 J.

Bangalore Central Jail
Superintendent's Office
Dated 18th February 1885.

From

The Superintendent Central Jail
Bangalore

To

The Inspector General of Prisons
in Mysore, Bangalore.

Letter No $\frac{2192}{547}$ dated 28th March 1884, Para 3 from the Assistant Resident, to the Dewan of Mysore.

In compliance with the above, has the honor to forward for disposal the bills of cost of maintaining the Prisoners of the Civil and Military Station Courts in the Bangalore Central Jail, & District Lock-up for the year 1884, amounting to Rupees 4110-1-2, and Rupees 359-12-4 respectively.

2. The Natives have been charged for at the rate of Rupees 72 per annum, or Rupees 6 per mensem, and the European and Eurasian at the rate of Rupees 108/- or Rupees 9 per mensem, these being considered fair average rates - In the one case this is not so high and in the other

it is a little above the general average, which includes a great many items not incurred for these prisoners alone.

3. Also it seems but fair that a little reduction should be made for their labour, and because being mostly short term prisoners, they are not so oppressive as long term or Lifers.

Sd/ J. Henderson
Supdt Central Jail

Copy
Raganachalu
Offg Under Secretary

Bangalow District Lock up.

Bill for cost of Prisoners of the Civil and Military Station Bangalow, from 1st January to 31st December 1884

Court	No. of Prisoners	Period remained in Jail Yrs	M	D.	Annual allowance rate per prisoner	Amount of cost			Total			Remarks
		Convicted Prisoners										
Justice Magistrate C/ In Station	1	"	"	1	at 72 Rs	"	3	2				
	1	"	"	3		"	9	7				
	2	"	"	4		1	9	8				
	3	"	"	6		3	9	6				
	8	"	"	7		11	3	4				
	1	"	"	8		1	9	7				
	9	"	"	10		18	"	"				
	1	"	"	11		2	3	2				
	1	"	"	12		2	6	5				
	2	"	"	13		5	3	2				
	1	"	"	14		2	12	10				
	20	"	"	15		60	"	"				
	1	"	"	20		4	"	"				
	1	"	"	21		4	3	2				
	1	"	"	23		4	9	7				
	8	"	1	"		48	"	"				
	1	"	1	7		7	6	5				
	62				Total				177	9	7	
2nd Magistrate C/ In Station	3	"	"	3	at 72 Rs	1	12	9				
	6	"	"	6		7	3	"				
	1	"	"	9		1	12	10				
	9	"	"	10		18	"	"				
	1	"	"	12		2	3	2				
	1	"	"	13		2	9	7				
	2	"	"	15		6	"	"				
	1	"	"	22		4	6	5				
	4	"	1	"		24	"	"				
	28				Total				67	15	9	
					Carried over				244	4		

				Brought forward				245	9	4
				Undertrial Prisoners.							
Sessions Judge C & M State	1	"	"	25	"	5	"	"	5	"	"
District Magistrate C & M States	7	"	"	1		1	6	2			
	5	"	"	2		2	"	"			
	2	"	"	3		1	3	2			
	5	"	"	4		4	"	2			
	1	"	"	5		1	"	"			
	1	"	"	6		1	3	2			
	1	"	"	7		1	6	5			
	1	"	"	9		1	12	10			
	1	"	"	10		2	"	"			
	1	"	"	12		2	6	5			
	2	"	"	20		8	"	"			
	1	"	"	22		4	6	5			
	1	"	"	25		5	"	"			
	1	"	"	27		5	6	5			
	30			Total					41	3	2
2nd Magistrate C & M States	8	"	"	1		1	9	4			
	12	"	"	2		4	13	"			
	6	"	"	3		3	9	6			
	5	"	"	4		4	"	2			
	2	"	"	5		2	"	"			
	2	"	"	6		2	6	4			
	3	"	"	7		4	3	3			
	4	"	"	8		6	6	4			
	1	"	"	10		2	"	"			
	1	"	"	13		2	9	7			
	1	"	"	14		2	12	10			
	2	"	"	21		8	6	4			
	1	"	"	23		4	9	7			
	1	"	"	24		4	12	10			
	1	"	"	26		5	3	2			
	1	"	"	43		8	9	7			
	51			Total					67	15	10
				Grand Total Rs					354	12	4

Rupees three hundred and fifty nine Annas twelve & Pies four only

Central Jail
Superintendents Office
Bangalore 18th February
1885

/Signed/ J Henderson
Superintendent
Central Jail

Bangalore Central Jail.

Bill for cost of Prisoners of the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore from 1st January to 31st December 1884.

Court.	No. of Prisoners	Period remained in Jail			Annual average rate per prisoner.	Amount of Cost			Total			Remarks.
		Y.	M.	D.		Rs.	A.	P.				
Sessions Judge & Station	1	"	1	15	at 72/ Rs	9	"	"				
	1	"	2	14		14	12	10				
	1	"	4	"		24	"	"				
	1	"	4	9		25	12	10				
	1	"	7	4		42	12	10				
	1	"	8	10		50	"	"				
	13	"	8	18		670	12	7				
	19	Total							837	3	1	
British Magistrate & Station	1			1	at 72/ Rs		3	2				
	1			2			6	5				
	7			3		4	3	1				
	1			4			12	10				
	2			6		2	6	4				
	3			7		4	3	3				
	2			8		3	3	2				
	2			10		4	"	"				
	1			11		2	3	2				
	1			14		2	12	10				
	2			15		6	"	"				
	2			21		8	6	4				
	2			26		10	6	4				
	1			29		5	12	10				
	2		1	"		12	"	"				
	1		1	11		8	3	2				
	4		1	12		33	9	8				
	2		1	14		17	9	8				
	1		1	15		9	"	"				
	1		1	20		10	"	"				
	1		1	22		10	6	5				
	1		1	28		11	9	7				
	6		2	"		72	"	"				
	Carried over					239	6	3	837	3	1	

Brought forward 239 6 3 837 3 1

Rishikesh Dehradun Ltd. via Station.

1	"	2	1		12	3	2	
1	"	2	2		12	6	5	
1	"	2	4		12	12	10	
1	"	2	5		13	-	-	
1	"	2	8		13	9	7	
9		3	-		162	-	-	
1	"	3	6		19	3	2	
1	"	3	10		20	-	-	
1	"	3	14		20	12	10	
1	"	3	17		23	6	5	
3	"	4	-		72	-	-	
1	"	4	14		26	12	10	
1	"	4	18		27	9	7	
1	"	4	21		28	3	2	
1	"	5	4		30	12	10	
1	"	5	20		34	-	-	
1	"	5	28		39	9	7	
1	"	5	29		35	12	10	
2	"	6	-		72	-	-	
1	"	8	-		48	-	-	
1	"	8	12		50	6	5	
5	"	8	18		257	15	11	
1	"	9	-		54	-	-	
1	"	9	1		54	3	2	
1	"	11	3		66	9	7	
1	"	11	10		68	-	-	
88				Total			1510 12 7	

2nd Dehradun via Station.

4	"	1			12	8		
1	"	2			6	5		
4	"	5			4	-	-	
2	"	6			2	6	4	
1	"	9			1	12	10	
1	"	10			2	-	-	
1	"	11			2	3	4	
1	"	14			2	12	10	
1	"	15			3	-	-	
1	"	16			3	3	2	
1	"	19			3	12	10	
1	"	1	-		6	-	-	
1	"	1	5		7	-	-	

Carried over 39 6 3 2347 15 8

	Brought forward				29	6	3	2347	15	8
2nd Class Assistants (Uncovenanted)	1	1	8		7	9	7			
	1	1	12		8	6	5			
	1	1	20		10	-	-			
	2	2	3		25	3	2			
	1	2	7		13	6	5			
	1	2	27		17	6	5			
	6	3	-		108	-	-			
	2	3	2		36	12	10			
	1	3	18		21	9	7			
	1	3	20		22	-	-			
	1	3	29		23	12	10			
	1	4	12		26	6	5			
	1	4	13		26	9	7			
	2	4	28		59	3	2			
	1	5	19		33	12	10			
	1	5	22		34	6	5			
	1	6	3		36	9	7			
	1	7	8		43	9	7			
	8	8	18		412	12	8			
	1	8	27		53	6	5			
	1	9	-		54	-	-			
	1	10	29		65	12	10			
	57			Total				1180	3	
Military Court Assistants.	1		29		5	12	10			
	1	3	16		21	3	2			
	4	4	-		96	-	-			
	1	4	7		25	6	5			
	1	4	9		25	12	10			
	1	4	26		29	3	2			
	2	5	2		60	12	10			
	2	6	-		72	-	-			
	1	10	3		60	9	7			
	14			Total				396	12	10
	Europeans and East Indians									
Sessions Judge & Ass Station	1	8	10		75	-	-			
District Magistrate & Ass Stations	2	3			1	12	10	at 108 Rs		
	7	5			1	8	-			
	1	8			2	6	5			
	2	15			9	-	-			
	carried over				89	11	3	3924	15	6

	Brought forward					89	11	3	3924	15	6
	1	"	1	"		9	"	"			
District Magistrate & Inspector	1	"	3	1		27	4	"			
Court martial	1	"	6	"		54	"	"			
	10			Total					180	"	1
Under trial prisoners	9	for	27	@ 10 8 R		5	1	7	5	1	7
	Grand Total Rupees								4110	1	2

Rupees four thousand one hundred and ten, annas one and pies two only

Central Jail Superintendent's Office
Bangalore 18th February 1865

(signed) J. Henderson
Superintendent, Central Jail

Office Copy

No 93/16

Office of the Resident in Mysore
Bangalore 16th April 1885

To The Secretary to the
Govt of India
Foreign Department

Sir,

~~I have the honor~~
I have the honor to refer with reference to the Correspondence ending with your letter No. 3681 dated 1st October 1884, to forward and two bills received from the Mysore Durbar aggregating Rs 4469-13-6 being charges on account of the maintenance of the prisoners convicted by the British Courts in the Civil and Military Stations and confined in the Central Jail

changing to the Mysore State in ~~the Station Hospital~~ from 1st January to 31st December 1884

2. I have the honor to solicit the sanction of the Govt of India to the payment of the above sum from the Revenues of the assigned Tracts, and to inform you that the sanction of the Govt of India which has already been sanctioned will be commenced, as early as possible

Allen
14/4

it is anticipated

No. 16.

1905

To.

India, Foreign.

of 18th April/05

Enc: 2

No. 93/16.

Z 2 1421 of 8-5-05

No. 1421 I.

From

The Junior Under Secretary to the
Government of India,

To

The Resident in Mysore.

Dated Simla, the 8th May 1885.

Foreign Depart.
Internal. } Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 93/16 of the 15th April 1885, requesting sanction to charges aggregating Rs. 4469-13-6 incurred on account of prisoners convicted by the British Courts of the civil and military Station and confined during the year 1884 in the Central Jail belonging to the Mysore State.

2. In reply, I am to say that the Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the payment of the amount in question.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Junior Under Secretary to the
Govt. of India.

1885. No 234.

From

To The Accountant General
Madras

Dated 21 May
Despatched
Received

Enclosures No. 1.

General No. 467
No. 231.

Sir,

I am directed to forward ~~the~~ a ~~accompanying~~ Copy & letter No 1421 J. D/8 dt 5/1885 from the ~~Secretary~~ Govt of India Foreign Department, communicating ~~the~~ the Governor General in Council has directed the payment of the Charges, aggregating Rs 4469-13-6, incurred on account of Prisoners convicted by the British Courts & the Civil and Military Station and confined in the Central Jail belonging to the Mysore State

during the year 1874

2. I am ~~and~~ to request that you will instruct the Treasury Officer here to adjust the Accounts, & debits & credits against the Revenues of the Assigned Dist. of Maine &c.

Mar 22/5

Respectfully

No. 468
90.

Office of the Resident in Mysore
Bangalore 23rd January 1885

To The Deputy Registrar
Sir

~~With reference to~~
~~your~~ I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your office letter No 7000 of 23rd March 1885 ~~forwarding~~ ~~submitting~~ ~~for~~ two bills for Rs 4,469. 13. 6. on account of charges for maintaining prisoners convicted by the British Courts of the Civil and Military Station and Cantonment of Bangalore during the year 1884 in the Central Jail belonging to the Mysore State.

2. In reply I am to say that the Government of India has sanctioned the payment of the amount in question, and the Accountant General, Madras, has been requested to adjust the account.

I have &c
Illegible
24/5
Superintendent

Copy Money Order to the Accountant General Madras

1885. No. 90.

From

To The Dewan of Mysore

Dated 23 January 1885

Despatched 24 January 1885

Received 27 January 1885

Enclosures No.

General No.	67	320
No.	4	90

Copy to Acting Guaranteed Amildar

Treasy Accounts Departmen

Fort St. George,
Accountant-General's Office,
27 May 1885.

No. 1462
30

From

The Dy ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE OFFICER IN CHARGE
RESIDENT'S TREASURY,
BANGALORE.

SIR,

I HAVE THE HONOR TO REQUEST THAT YOU WILL DISBURSE TO THE MYSORE STATE ON A DULY STAMPED RE--CEIPT THE SUM OF RS. 4469-13-6 SANCTIONED BY THE GO--VERNMENT OF INDIA IN LETTER NO. 1421. I DATED 8TH MAY 1885, BEING THE CHARGES INCURRED ON ACCOUNT OF PRISO--NERS CONVICTED BY THE BRITISH COURTS OF THE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION, BANGALORE, AND CONFINED IN THE CENTRAL JAIL DURING 1884, DEBITING THE ANOUNT TO THE REVENUE OF THE ASSIGNED TRACT. -

I HAVE ETC.
: SIGNED : W. DONALD,
DY. ACCOUNTT GENL.

NO. 1462
31

COPY TO THE ASSISTANT RESIDENT, MYSORE, WITH REFERENCE TO HIS LETTER NO. 467-231 OF 23RD MAY 1885. -

W Donald

DEPUTY ACCOUNTANT GENERAL.

No. 608/121.

Office of Resident in Mysore
Bangalore 4th June 1885

To
The Dewan of Mysore
Sir,

In continuation of my letter No 460/98 of 23rd May 1885, ~~stating that the Govt of India~~ regarding the payment of the Cost of maintaining ~~Convicts~~ prisoners ~~Confined~~ in the Central Jail belonging to the ~~Govt of India~~ Jail, I am directed to forward the ~~accompanying~~ copy of the ~~Telegram~~ marginally noted from the Accountant General Madras to the Officer in Charge of Resident's Treasury, instructing him to disburse to the Mysore State the sum of Rs 4469.13.6 on adjustment of the charge.

I am &c

Resident

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* No. 1.A.C.R./30 of 27th May 1885

No 121.

1805

To the Dewan of Mysore

Dy 4th June/05 Encs: No 1.

No 608
121.

No. 432
217

Office of the Resident in Mysore
Bangalore 18th May 1885.

To,
The Chief Secretary
to the Govt of Madras.
~~Fort St George~~

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 654 Judl. mis. dated the 11th March 1885, ~~posting that if any application~~ ~~should be received~~ suggesting that ~~from~~ the Govt of India may be moved to cause the transfer to Jails in the Madras Presidency of the ~~native~~ ~~convicts now~~ ~~undergoing imprisonment~~ in the Bangalore Central Jail ~~sentenced to~~ ~~Transportation for life~~ & ~~Penal Servitude~~.

Convt. Martial prisoners at present under sentence

2. It appears from the list printed at page 3

of Madras G.O. No. 204
dated 26th January 1885
that ~~one of the eight Convicts mentioned~~
prisoners in the Bangalore
Central Jail on 15th Dec.
1884, ~~two of them~~
~~& fourteen~~ seven have already
completed their terms
of sentence and have been released.
~~two of them~~
~~died & one from~~
~~the remaining eight~~
~~eight, two to~~
~~life) three~~
~~has now to be effected~~
~~if that is considered~~
~~necessary. The man~~
has been sentenced The eighth, No. 5 on the list,
to imprisonment
from Jail, and his
term expires on the
28th August 1885.
~~The Resident is~~
~~doubtful whether~~

3.

As it is stated in your letter under reply that this

The Resident is accordingly of opinion that his case may be treated like that of

There appears to be no objection to this working

~~Under the 15th Section~~ Articles of War, he has authority to transfer Court martial prisoners from the Bangalore Central Jail to Jails in the Madras Presidency. But he is of opinion ~~that in the present case~~ ~~as the~~ prisoner has been struck off the strength of the Army, the Indian Articles of War ~~cannot~~ are apparently no longer applicable to him and ~~that he~~ ~~must therefore be~~ treated like convicts sentenced by the Ordinary Criminal Courts. If this view is correct, ~~I am to~~ ~~request that the prisoner may be transferred~~ to

out

out the remaining
portion of his sentence
in the Bangalore Central
Jail ~~which was to be~~
~~to succeed to~~
~~that he was then~~
~~undergoing~~ under the orders of
the Govt of India ~~was~~
~~directed~~ Foreign
Dept Letter No 913 J. dd
12th March 1884, ~~Communicated~~ communicated
~~to~~ with this Office
Letter No. 89/49 dd 7th April 1884

Ques.
Put this in
the margin.

~~that~~ persons sentenced to not more than
~~to~~ 12 months imprisonment
~~under should~~ may be
kept in the Bangalore
Jail ~~pending the completion of a separate~~
~~prison~~ prison in the Civil
Station. ~~is constructed.~~
~~I am to request that~~
the Resident may be
~~favored~~ with the
~~views of His Excellency~~
Council

v/

~~Council Chamber~~

~~4. His letter of the~~

The present question apparently will not arise in future as it appears from ~~his letter No. 1206 dated~~ the 11th Nov. /84 from the Acctant General & the Secty to the Govt of Madras, Judl Dept, (printed in Madras G.O. No. 2064 dd 26 Decr /84) that H.E. the Commander in Chief has directed ~~that in future~~ native soldiers sentenced subsequent to the date of that welcome to imprisonment by Native Courts Martial shall be sent to jails in the Madras Presidency.

The first welcome of your letter underscored that

were advised to

I have &c

Allan
16/5

Asst Resident

16/5/85

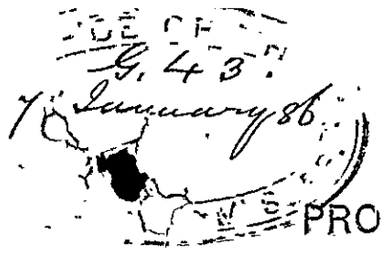
No 217. 1885

To

The Secy: to the
Govt of Madras

Dy 10th June 1885.

No 432
217.



Judicial Department

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following

from the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, dated Calcutta 11th December 1885 No. 477

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, Judicial No. 2950, Miscellaneous, dated the 2nd November 1885, regarding the method of debiting the charges for the maintenance, clothing and carriage of the military and civil prisoners sentenced by Courts in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, and transferred to jails in the Madras Presidency.

2. The Local Government has ruled that these charges should be Imperial civil charges, and sanction is requested to the adjustment of the amount in the books of the Accountant General, Madras, to the credit of Provincial Funds through the Land Revenue Head.

3. I am directed to state that the Governor

Governor General in Council is pleased to confirm the proceedings of the Government of Madras in the matter, and to sanction an addition to the Provincial share of Land Revenue as proposed

Order 5 January 1886 No 16 Mis

Communicated to the Inspector General of Jails and the Accountant General

True Extract

Sd/ W. Wilson

Ag Chief Secretary

No 17 Mis

Copy to the Resident in Mysore with reference to endorsement dated 24th ult. February 1885 No 546 Judicial

W. Wilson

Ag Chief Secretary

Serial No. 38.

WD BV

No. 3864

Octacamund 4-7.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF JAILS,

30th August 1892.

From

A. J. Cardew Esquire M. A. M. S.

INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF JAILS,

To

THE Resident

Mysore.

RECEIVED BANGALORE No. 3414 D/ 1 9 1892

Draft reply sent for approval. AJ. 3.9.92

SIR,

Enclosures

I have the honor to enquire, with reference to Capt. Ravenshaw's letter No. 2001—353A5, dated the 15th June last, under what authority orders for the transfer of prisoners from the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore to Madras Jails are now issued by you. In this office letter No. 3441, dated 8th August 1884, it was suggested that such transfers required the orders of the Government of India under Section 32 of Act V of 1871 since amended by Act X of 1886, and in Major Wylie's letter No. 1112—583, dated 20th August 1884, it was stated that so far as affected prisoners then in the Central Jail Bangalore the Government of India's letter No. 913T, dated 12th March 1881.

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S. 19

S. 20

S. 10 (Slip A)

1884. was a Sufficient Sanction. I am
unable to trace in this office any
later correspondence on this
point.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most Obd.t Servant

R.G. Cavideu
Inspector General of Jails

RESIDENT'S OFFICE.

Serial No. 478

[DRAFT]—For approval.

No. 2918 / 353.85.

Dated 3rd Septr 1892. To The Inspector General of Jails, Madras, Ootacamund

Sir

D.47 In reply to your letter No. 3864 dated the 30th August 1892, I am directed to inform you that the transfer of prisoners from the Central Station of Bangalore to the jails in the Madras Presidency has been continued under the authority of para 5 of the Govt of India, Foreign Dept letter No. 913 of the 12th March 1884, and that no correspondence has since then taken place on the subject.

D.10/2 (Slip A)

2. Para 1 of Major Wyllie's letter

D.20 No. 1112/583 of 20th August 1884 confined itself

itself, as observed by you, to the
prisoners of the Town station "then
confined in the Bhuggulpore Central Jail
apparently because your office
letter to which it was a reply referred
to those prisoners only. It was however,
remarked in para 2 of Major Wylie's
letter that the arrangements for
transfer should apply generally in
the case of prisoners sentenced
to imprisonment for more than
one year.

I have, &c

First Asst to the Resident

H.
3 Sept

No 3966.

Ootacamund 49

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF JAILS,

7th September 1892.

From

H. G. Cardew Esqr M.A. C.S.

INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF JAILS,

To

THE Resident in Mysore.

SIR,

Enclosures.

S. 48

In reply to your Letter No 2918/353-81 dated 3rd September 1892 I have the honor to state that no copy of Foreign Department Letter No 913 J dated 12th March 1884 appears to be on record in this office, the purport only of para 5 thereof having been stated by Major Wylie in para 2 of his Letter No 1112/583 dated 20th August 1884. I presume however, that the sanction of the Government of India to the transfer to Madras Jails of prisoners then in the Central Jail Bangalore which was held to have been conveyed by ~~that~~ Letter, was given under section 32 of Act V of 1871 since amended by act X of 1886.

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2. It does not appear to me that ~~that~~ section contemplates or authorizes the issue of a general or standing order for the transfer of prisoners from one Presidency to another, but rather requires that a separate order shall be passed in each case. This has been held to be the meanin

f Section 30 the terms of which are precisely parallel.

3. From para 2 of your letter No. 2898/3895 dated 2nd September 1892 I gather that the Bangalore entral Jail is not in British India. If this is so, it appears probable that Act V f 1871 does not apply to that Jail and that ny order under section 32 could only take ffect from some place in British India to hich the prisoners must first be removed. Possibly however some notification under ct XXI of 1879 exists which removes this ifficulty.

S. No. 115 Fl. No. 289/85

4. As there seems some risk of the custody f Bangalore prisoners who are transferred o Madras Jails under present arrangements roving to be illegal, I would suggest that the question may be further considered r referred for the orders of the Government f India.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obdt Servt
A.G. Cardew.
Inspr Genl of Jails.

RESIDENT'S OFFICE.

Serial No. 50

[DRAFT]—For approval.

No: 3066 / 353.85 *Encl.*

Dated 15th Septr 1892 To The Inspector General of Jails,
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to your letter
No: 3966 dated the 7th September 1892,
regarding the transfer of prisoners
from the Cantonment of Bangalore
to the jails in the Madras Presidency,
I am directed to forward a
copy of letter No: 913-J. dt/12th March
1884 from the Secy: to the Govt of India,
Foreign Dept: and to invite your
attention to the correspondence
ending with Govt: H.R. Grime's
letter No: 3692 dt the 25th August 1884.

S. 10/2

S. 22

2. If there be still doubts
as to the legality of the measure

arrangements under which the transfer of these prisoners to Madras jails is effected, I am to suggest that a reference may be made to the Govt of Madras with whose approval the arrangements were originally made.

I have, &c

[illegible]
Asst Resident

M.
14-9-92

57.

DEPARTMENT.

To

THE Resident in Mysore

SIR,

I am directed to forward, for your information, copy of the Proceedings of this Government of to-day's date, No 622

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

Chief Secretary.

Acknowledged
5 Nov 1892

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Political Department.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT. MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following ~~paper~~:—

Proceedings of the Judicial Department dy 22d October 1884 No. 1994-

- Read the following letter from the Inspector General of Jails dy 20th September 1884 No. 4259-

In certain correspondence between His Excellency the Governor-in-Council and the Resident in Mysore, ending with G.O 19th July 1884 No 1448 Judicial, an arrangement was come to whereby convicts sentenced to periods of imprisonment in excess of one year by courts in the civil and Military stations of Bangalore, are transferred to Madras Jails to undergo their sentences-

SL 49A

SL 19

2. In a letter dy the 8th August 1884, No 3441, Mr. Grieves, then Inspector General of Jails, addressed the Resident in Mysore regarding the details of this arrangement, and amongst other matters required whether, as the prisoners in question had been convicted in a Province not under the Jurisdiction of the Madras Government, the sanction of the Government of India was not required, under Section

12, Act V of 1841, to their transfer to Madras.

3. The Resident's reply of 20th August 1884, No. 1112-583 states:- "The Resident considers the order of the Government of India, as conveyed in paragraph 5 of their letter No. 913 J of 12th March 1884 is a sufficient sanction to the transfer of the Civil and Military station prisoners now in the Central Jail, Bangalore, to Jails in the Madras Presidency". He enquires whether Mr. Grimes would accept Mr. Lyall's views in the matter. SL 20 Encls: 10-2

4. On the 25th August 1884, in letter No. 3692, Mr. Grimes replied:- "I am quite willing to accept the Resident's views as regards the legality of the transfer of the Civil and Military station prisoners in the Mysore Government Jails". SL 22

5. Since the correspondence above summarised, it has been the custom for the Resident in Mysore, from time to time, to inform this office that so many prisoners were awaiting transfer and to enquire to what Jails they should be sent. On receiving a reply to this query, the Resident issues orders to the Superintendent of the Central Jail, Bangalore, to transfer the prisoners in question to the Jails indicated. I enclose a copy of the forms of letter which the Superintendent of the Central Jail, Bangalore, adopts when intimating the despatch of the prisoners (Enclosure 1). The statement in this letter that I had ordered the transfer is inaccurate.

b.

Ex 47

6. In a letter No 3864 dy 30 August last, I addressed the Resident in Mysore, enquiring under what authority the transfer of prisoners from Bangalore to Madras was now ordered, and pointing out that Mr. Lyall's letter of the 9th August 1884, No 1112-583 referred only to prisoners there in the Central Jail, Bangalore. In reply, the Resident informed me that the transfer has been continued under the authority of paragraph 5 of Government of India, Foreign Department letter No 913 J of the 12 March 1884.

Sl 20

Encl: to Sl 10/2

7. I enclose copies of the marginally noted correspondence which has since passed between the Resident and myself, and in accordance with the suggestion contained in paragraph 2 of the Resident's letter of the 15 September 1892, I have the honor to refer the matter to Government for orders.

X To Resident No 3966 dy 4 Sept 1892.
From Resident No 3060-355-85 dy 15 Sept 1892 with enclosure

8. I venture to think that the view hitherto acted upon viz that paragraph 5 of Foreign Department letter of the 12 March 1884 No 913 J sufficiently authorizes the transfer of Bangalore prisoners from time to time to Madras

Jails

Jails, is erroneous. It will be observed that the opinion expressed by Mr. (now Sir James Lyall) in 1884 was limited to the prisoners then in the Central Jail Bangalore. In the correspondence recorded in G.O 8th February 1892, No. 252 Judicial will be found an opinion of the Government Advocate Punjab, to the effect that an order of transfer under section 30, or Section 32 of Act V of 1841 as amended by Act X of 1886 can apply only to persons already convicted. This view was accepted by the Government of India, and thus the instructions issued by the Foreign Department in 1884 cannot be a sufficient sanction to the transfer of prisoners convicted in 1892.

It has further been held by His Excellency the Governor in Council in the orders noted in the margin* that a specific order under Section 30, Act V of 1841 is required to authorize periodical transfers from Jail to Jail, and the terms of section 30 are identical with those of section 32, mutatis mutandis.

10. It is hardly necessary to add that the Government of India invariably makes a separate order under section 32 in every case in which a prisoner

* G.O 25th June 1884 No. 1341 J.D.
" 23 July 1884 No. 1618 J.D.

If an unconvicted prisoner has to be transferred from Madras to Burma or vice versa.

11. It, therefore, appears clear that the practice hitherto adopted by the Residents in Mysore of ordering the transfer of Bangalore prisoners to Madras Jails without obtaining the previous sanction of the Government of India, is incorrect, and as it is probable that the legality of the detention in Madras Jails of prisoners thus irregularly transferred is open to question, I submit that the matter should be referred to the Government of India with a view to a correct procedure being adopted.

12. I beg to point out in conclusion, that the matter is somewhat complicated by the Central Jail, Bangalore, being situated outside the limits of British India. This being so, it does not appear that the Government of India can make an order under Section 32, Act V of 1871 for transfer from that Jail to Madras Jail, as the Act is not in force in the Mysore

Right.

Cale

State. It would be necessary, apparently, first to obtain the extradition of the prisoners from the Native State and then to order their transfer from some place in British India to Madras. Since 1884, however, I believe that a District Jail has been built in the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, and if so, it might be possible to confine therein prisoners sentenced to more than 12 months pending their transfer to this Presidency. The necessary arrangements for their transfer could be made in less than 6 months, before which their appeal time would not have expired; and the difficulty arising from their first place of detention being outside British India, would disappear.

3. In this connection, I have not referred to one possible view, viz that because prisoners convicted by the Civil and Military Courts of Bangalore are after conviction removed from British India and confined in a Central Jail lying within a Native State, therefore the provisions of Act V of 1841 do not apply to them at all,

+ no jail has been built for the [illegible] The matter was [illegible] to decide [illegible] appointment upon [illegible] to the [illegible] State (vide concluding para of office note on P.P. 30) E.

+ no, the State is a foreign territory and is governed by British ... It is no part of British India.

+ no - the State is not British India.

and that the Governor General in Council can accordingly make any general order, such as is contained in paragraph 5 of Foreign Department letter No. 913 J dy 12th March 1884, which will continue to hold good indefinitely. It appears to me, that, as soon as the prisoners in question enter British India, Act V of 1841, must apply to them, and that in order to legalize their transfer to a Jail in British India and their detention there, an order under Act V of 1841, is necessary. It is possible, however, that this view is incorrect, and if so the existing procedure, though not apparently covered by any provision of law, might be held to be warranted and authorized by the general powers of the Government of India and of the Residents.

Order 22nd October 1892 No. 1994.

The Government concurs with the views expressed by the Inspector General and the Government

Governments of India will be addressed.

Order 5th November 1892 No. 622-(Political)

A copy of the Despatch General's letter will be forwarded to the Resident in Mysore for information.

(True Extract)

Mdenny

Under Secy. P.W.D.

for Chief Secy—

To

The Resident in Mysore

with C. L.

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RESIDENT'S OFFICE.

Dated 26 Nov 1892.

Despatched Do

From Resident

From Bangalore

To Madras

To Madras

OFFICIAL INSTRUCTIONS.

C.P

TELEGRAM. 5'4

[DRAFT.]—For approval.

No. 3772

Please refer to Madras Govt Proceedings No. 622 dt 5 Nov 92 & Supt Genl Jail's letter No 4259 dt 20 Sept 92 Bangalore

~~Transcript~~

No fact has been brought to the Civil & Judicial Station Bangalore which if in foreign territory administered by British Govt and if not a part of British India

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RESIDENT'S OFFICE.

Serial No. [illegible]

[D R A F T] - For approval.

No. 3738
353·83

To

The Chief Secretary to the
Govt. of Madras

Dated 3-11- 1893.

Sir,

With reference to correspondence
ending with this office telegram
No. 3772 dated the 26th November 1892,
I have the honour to request
whether any orders have been passed
on the representation
taken by the Govt. of Madras
on the Madras Govt. Proceedings
No. 1997 dated the 22nd October 1892
in regard to the transfer of
prisoners from the Andaman
Penal Colony to the jails in the
Madras Presidency.

I have, &c.

Resident.

No. 20-10-93

[G/47]

3905
D/17/11/93.
From

Fort St. George.
13 November 1893.

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras,

To. The Resident in Mysore

Judicials. Department.
No. 1241

Sir,

In reply to your letter A.52 dt Bangalore 3rd November 1893 No. 3438/353-85 enquiring whether any orders have been passed by the Government of India on this Government's Proceedings No. 1994 dt 22nd October 1892 Judicials, I am directed to forward a copy of letter No. 110 dt 3rd March 1893 from the Government of India.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

A. Butterworth.
Under Secretary.

No. 110.

From

J. P. HEWETT, Esq., C.I.E.,

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The CHIEF SECRETARY to the GOVERNMENT of MADRAS.

Home Department.
Jails.

Calcutta, the 3rd March 1893.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 1998, Judicial, dated the 22nd October last, inquiring whether the letter from the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 913 I., Judicial, dated the 12th March 1884, should be considered as a general order under section 32 of Act V of 1871 authorizing the transfer of prisoners sentenced to imprisonment for longer periods than one year from the Bangalore Central Jail (which lies outside the limits of British India) to the Vellore or Salem Central Jail, or whether the sanction of the Government of India should not be obtained in each case. You observe that the Foreign Department letter quoted above appears to have reference only to the prisoners then confined in the Bangalore Central Jail, but that it has been customary for all prisoners sentenced as above to be transferred without reference to higher authority.

2. In reply I am to say that the practice hitherto followed with regard to these transfers may be continued. The Government of India do not think that there is any doubt as to the legality of the detention in Madras Jails of prisoners sentenced by the British Courts at Bangalore and transferred in accordance with this practice, as section 16 of Act V of 1871 is a sufficient authority for such detention. I am to add that section 32 of the Act is inapplicable to the case, as it refers only to transfers from one part of British India to another.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

J. P. HEWETT.

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

No.

Copy, with copy of the letter replied to, forwarded to the Foreign Department for information.

By order,

J. P. HEWETT,

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

Government of India Central Printing Office.—No. 1079 H. D.—2-3-93.—82.—W. B. G.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF PRISONS,

Ootacamund, June 26 1895.

J.H.

29 JUN 95

My dear Cobb,

As promised, I am sending you a copy of my Report for 1894, & the Govt's Review. I wish Bangalore was in my range. Both that I might see the Jail there & more particularly that we might make it a centre for buying raggi & wool, for which there is a large market in Bangalore. As it is, if I send a man up to buy either article, I have to go up to Govt specially about his T.A. If there could be any prospect of a suggestion for the affiliation of the Bangalore Jail to Madras being approved by Mr Lee Warner, perhaps you would let me know.

Yours sincerely.

A.G. Cardew

2.7.95

My dear Cardew,

Thanks for your report &c. Yesterday was the D.C. & accompany it. I shall show both to the Rt. & suggest to the suggestion made in the letter & the affiliation of the Bang. Jail to Madras. I entirely concur in the Bang. Jail belongs better here for its work & my wish to [illegible] prisoners there. They have certainly a good jail & I hope the Govt's opinion will very soon [illegible] I am glad to hear affiliation might be possible: but [illegible] there are many other [illegible] for attention & always rate for some considerable time to come. I C.C. Rose will perhaps move in the matter

Yours sincerely

H.V.C.

My dear Cockburn,

Cardwell's Dep. to which
Sir Stafford Northcote's reply is printed, I
think, in the top left hand
drawer of the writing table
by my desk in the d. o. itself,
& was written under the
Rt. H. Adams with not any
knowledge of the Burma Correspondence
Cardwell now refers to.
This might now be called for
if the Rt. H. Adams requested

Yours sincerely
H. T. Cobb

Thos at Cecil
9/5

9.7.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF PRISONS,

Ootacamund, July 5th 1895.

My dear Cobb.

In reply to your D.O. of the 2nd if you will refer to Major Wylie's Letter No 803-414, dated 7 July 1884, it will show that the question of affiliating the Bangalore Jail to Madras has been raised before & was favourably considered by the then Resident, Mr. (now Sir James) Lyall. Possibly this fact might influence Mr. Lee Warner's view. The advantage to Bangalore would be that the officials of the Jail might be graded in the Madras Jail list, or might be treated as though they were so graded. I have already mentioned the great advantage which would be gained by this Presidency if it had a regular & responsible purchasing agency at Bangalore. I am afraid the Mercara Jail does not possess the same advantages from your point of view. No add.l charge for inspection would, in my opinion, be involved.

Do not trouble to reply unless Mr. Lee Warner thinks the matter worth pursuing as the Resident's view of course decides the question. Yours sincerely, Kind notice LRW

A. G. Cardew

RESIDENT'S OFFICE.

Serial No. 57

[DRAFT].—For approval.

No. 2862

Dated 24 July 1895.

To

Dear Sir,

In reply to your d. 6. letter dated the
5th instant to Mr Cobb, I am desired by
the Resident to explain that the
"Bangalore Jail" referred to in para 6
of Major Wylie's letter No. 803/414 of the 7th July
1884 to the address of the Chief Secretary to
the Govt of Madras alluded to a district
jail which it was intended to establish
in the Cantonment of Bangalore, but that
no such jail has yet been established
and the Bangalore Central Jail of the
Mysore State situated outside the
limits of the said station has been utilized for the Cantonment
prisoners sentenced under
sentences of less than one year with the Darbar's permission.

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Continued 1102/52

~~the permission of the Board~~.

Yours truly

KS Ε

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H. G. Carden Esqre CB

Inspector General of ~~Gaols~~, Prisons,

Ootacamund

H.S.

24-7-95